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Gen. Hamilton's Report of the Final Dardanelles Disaster

Full Official Account of the "Splendid Failure" Which Overtook the Great Offensive of Aug. 6-10, Participated in by 90,000 Troops After Three Months' Preparation, When One Battalion Had Actually Attained the Heights Attacked and Victory Seemed Within Reach.

How One Unit Saw the Promised Land

"AND now, under that fine leader, Maj. C. G. L. Allanson, the 6th Ghurkas of the 29th Indian Infantry Brigade, passed up the slopes of Sari Bair, crowned the heights of the col (gap) between Chunuk Bair and Hill Q, viewed far beneath them the waters of the Hellespont, viewed the Asiatic shores along which motor transport was bringing supplies to the lighters. Not only did this battalion, but some of the 6th South Lancashire Regiment reach the crest, but they began to attack down the far side of it, firing as they went at the fast retreating enemy. But the fortune of war was against us. And, instead of Baldwin's support, came suddenly a salvo of heavy shell. These falling so unexpectedly among the stormers threw them into terrible confusion. The Turkish commander saw his chance; instantly, his troops were rallied and brought back into a countercharge and the South Lancashires and Ghurkas who had seen the promised land and had seemed for a moment to have held victory in their grasp were forced backwards over the crest and onto the lower slopes whence they had first started."

Gen. Hamilton's Own Fatal Indecision.

"UNFORTUNATELY, these two pieces of ground, small and worthless as they seemed, were worth, according to the ethics of war, 10,000 lives, for by their loss or retention they just marked the difference between an important success and a signal victory. At times, I had thought of throwing my reserves into this stubborn central battle, where probably they would have turned the scale. But each time, the water troubles made me give up the idea, all ranks at Anzac being reduced to one pint a day. True thirst is a sensation unknown to the dwellers in cool, well-watered England. But at Anzac, when mules with water "pakhals" arrived at the front, the men would rush up to them in swarms just to lick the moisture that had exuded through the canvas bags. It will be understood then, that, until wells had been discovered under the freshly-won hills, the reinforcing of Anzac by so much as brigade was unthinkable. o o o o The grand coup had not come off, the Narrows were still out of sight and beyond field gun range. But this was not the fault of Gen. Birdwood or any of the officers and men under his command. No mortal can command success; Gen. Birdwood had done all that mortal man can do to deserve it."

Unaccountable Delay of Gen. Stopford in Occupying Heights After Landing at Suvla Bay and Inability of War Office to Send Reinforcements to Replenish Reserves Blamed by Commander of the Gallopoli Expedition for Inability of "The Greatest of the Crusades" to Force a Passage to the Seat of Turkish Power.

LONDON, Jan. 10.

THE story of the failure of the "greatest and last of the crusades," as he typifies the Anglo-British expedition against the Dardanelles, is dramatically told by Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton, the British commander-in-chief, in his full official report which has just been given out under date of Jan. 7. Brief excerpts have been passed by the censor for publication in American and other neutral papers, but the complete report has not yet been published outside of the London press which allude to the final operations as a "splendid failure."

This is Gen. Hamilton's second report of the Dardanelles operations. The first, which also was printed in full in the Post-Dispatch, Sunday Aug 1, 1915, dealt with the landing operations from April 25 to May 5.

This, the second report, covers Gen. Hamilton's desperate offensive in August. Following that period of fighting, Gen. Hamilton remained comparatively inactive except for sniping and bombing and the usual features of ordinary trench warfare until October when he was asked to give his opinion on the advisability of the withdrawal of the expedition. He protested and was called home whereupon Gen. Kitchener went to the peninsula and, after an inspection of the British position and prospects, ordered a retirement of all forces, those at Suvla and Anzac getting out Dec. 20, and those at Cape Helles Jan. 9. Following is Gen. Hamilton's report in full:

1, HYDE PARK-GARDENS, LONDON, W.,
Dec. 11, 1915.

MY LORD: For the understanding of the operations about to be described I must first set forth the situation as it appeared to me early in July.

The three days' battle of May 6-8 had shown that neither of my forces, northern or southern, were strong enough to fight their way to the Narrows. On May 10 I had cabled asking that two fresh divisions might be sent me to enable be to press on and so prevent my attack degenerating into trench warfare. On May 14 I again cabled, saying that if we were going to be left to face Turkey on our own resources we should require two army corps additional to my existing forces at the Dardanelles. The Fifty-second (Lowland) Division had been sent me, but between their dates of dispatch and arrival Russia had given up the idea of co-operating from the coast of the Black Sea. Thereby several Turkish divisions were set free for the Dardanelles, and the battle of June 4, locally successful as it was, found us just as weak, relatively, as we had been a month earlier.

During June your lordship became persuaded of the bearing of these facts, and I was promised three regular divisions plus the infantry of two Territorial divisions. The advance guard of these troops was due to reach Mudros by July 10; by Aug. 10 their concentration was to be complete.

Fresh Forces.

ELIMINATING the impracticable, I had already narrowed down the methods of employing these fresh forces to one of the following four:

(a) Every man to be thrown on to the southern sector of the Peninsula to force a way forward to the Narrows.

(b) Disembarkation on the Asiatic side of the Straits, followed by a march on Chanak.

(c) A landing at Enos or Ebrije for the purpose of seizing the neck of the isthmus of Bulair.

(d) Reinforcement of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps, combined with a landing in Suvla Bay. Then with one strong push to capture Hill 305, and, working from that dominating point, to grip the waist of the Peninsula.

As to (a) I rejected that course—

(1) Because there were limits to the numbers which could be landed and deployed in one confined area.

(2) Because the capture of Krithia could no longed be counted upon to give us Achi Baba, an entirely new system of works having lately appeared upon the slopes of that mountain—works so planned that even if the enemy's western flank was turned and driven back from the coast the central and eastern portions of the mountain could still be maintained as a bastion to Kilid Bahr.

(3) Because, if I tried to disengage myself both from Kritha and Achi Baba by landing due west of Kilid Bahr, my troops would be exposed to artillery fire from Achi Baba, the Olive Grove, and Kilid Bahr itself, the enemy's large reserves were too handy; there were not fair chances of success.

As to (b), although much of the Asiatic coast had now been wired and entrenched, the project was still attractive. Thereby the Turkish forces on the peninsula would be weakened; our beaches at Cape Helles would be free from Asiatic shells; the threat to the enemy's sea communications was obvious. But when I descended into detail I found that the expected reinforcements would not run to a double operation. I mean that, unless I could make a thorough, whole-hearted attack on the enemy in the peninsula I should reap no advantage in that theater from the transference of the Turkish peninsula troops to reinforce Asia, whereas, if the British forces landed in Asia were not strong enough in themselves seriously to threaten Chanak, the Turks for their part would not seriously relax their grip upon the peninsula.

Naval Difficulties.

TO cut the land communications of the whole of the Turkish peninsular army, as in (c), was a better scheme on paper than on the spot. The naval objections appeared to my coadjutor, Vice Admiral de Robeck, well-nigh insurmountable. Already, owing to submarine dangers, all reinforcements, ammunition and supplies had to be brought up from Mudros to Helles or Anzac by night in fleet-sweepers and trawlers. A new landing near Bulair would have added another 50 miles to the course such small craft must cover, thus placing too severe a strain upon the capacities of the flotilla. The landing promised special hazards owing to the difficulty of securing the transports and covering ships from submarine attack. Ibrije has a bar beach, and the distance to Enos, the only point suitable to a disembarkation on a large scale, was so great that the enemy would have had time to organize a formidable oposition from his garrisons in Thrace.

Four divisions at least would be required to overcome such opposition. These might now be found, but, even so, and presupposing every other obstacle overcome, it was by no manner of means that the Turkish army on the peninsula would thereby be brought to sue for terms, or that the Narrows would thereby be opened to the Fleet. The enemy would still be able to work supplies across the Straits from Chanak. The swiftness of the current, the shallow draft of the Turkish lighters, the guns of the forts, made it too difficult even for our dauntless submarine commanders to paralyze movement across these land-locked waters. To achieve that purpose I must bring my artillery fire to bear both on the land and water communications of the enemy.

This brings me to (d), the storming of that dominating height, Hill 305, with the capture of Maidos and Gaba Tepe as its sequel.

From the very first I had hoped that by landing a force under the heights of Sari Bair we should be able to strangle the Turkish communications to the southwards, whether by land or sea, and so clear the Narrows for the Fleet. Owing to the enemy's superiority, both in numbers and in position, owing to under-estimates of the strength of the original entrenchments prepared and sited under German direction, owing to the constant dwindling of the units of my force through wastage, owing also to the intricacy and difficulty of the terrain, these hopes had not hitherto borne fruit. But they were well founded. So much at least had clearly enough been demonstrated by the desperate and costly nature of the Turkish attacks. The Australians and New Zealanders had rooted themselves in very near to the vitals of the enemy. By their tenacity and courage they still held open the doorway from which one strong thrust forward might give us command of the Narrows.

Favorable Auspices.

FROM the naval point of view the auspices were also favorable. Sulva Bay was but one mile further from Mudros than Anzac, and its possession would ensure us a submarine-proof base and a harbor good against gales, excepting those from the southwest. There were, as might be expected, some special difficulties to be overcome; the broken, intricate country—the lack of water—the consequent anxious supply questions. Of these it can only be said that a bad country is better than an entrenched country, and that supply and water problems may be countered by careful preparation.

Before a man of the reinforcements had arrived my mind was made up as to their employment, and by means of a vigorous offensive from Anzac, combined with a surprise landing to the north of it, I meant to try and win through to Maidos, leaving behind me a well-protected line of communications starting from the bay of Suvla.

Another point which had to be fixed in advance was the date. The new troops would gain in fighting value if they could first be given a turn in the trenches. So much was clear. But the relief of the troops already holding those trenches would have been a long and difficult task for the navy, and time was everything, seeing that everywhere the enemy was digging in as fast as he possibly could dig. Also, where large numbers of troops were to be smuggled into Anzac and another large force was to land by surprise at Suvla, it was essential to eliminate the moon. Unless the plunge could be taken by the second week in August the whole venture must be postponed for a month. The dangers of such delay were clear. To realize them I had to consider how notably my prospects would have been bettered had these same reinforcements arrived in time to enable me to anticipate the moon of July.

Place and date having shaped themselves, the intervening period had to be filled in with as much fighting as possible. First, to gain ground; secondly, to maintain the moral ascendancy which my troops had by this time established; thirdly, to keep the enemy's eyes fixed rather upon Helles than Anzac.

Unceasing Offensive.

WORKING out my ammunition allowance, I found I could accumulate just enough high explosive shell to enable me to deliver one serious attack per each period of three weeks. I was thus limited to a single effort on the large scale, plus a prescribed unceasing offensive routine, with bombing, sniping and mining as its methods.

The action of July 12 and 13 was meant to be a sequel to the action of June 28. That advance had driven back the Turkish right on to their second main system of defence just south of Krithia. But on my center and right the enemy still held their forward system of trenches, and it was my intention on July 12 to seize the remaining trenches of this foremost system from the sea at the mouth of the Kereves Dere to the main Sedd-el-Bahr-Krithia, road, along a front of some 2000 yards.

On our right the attack was to be entrusted to the French Corps; on the right center to the Fifty-second (Lowland) Division. On the Fifty-second Division's front the operation was planned to take place in two phases: our right was to attack in the morning, our left in the afternoon. Divisions by the Twenty-ninth Division on the left of the southern section and at Anzac were to take place on the same day, so as to prevent the enemy's reserves from reinforcing the real point of attack.

At 7:35 a. m., after a heavy bombardment, the troops, French and Scottish, dashed out of their trenches and at once captured two lines of enemy trenches. Pushing forward with fine elan, the First Division of the French Corps completed the task assigned to it by carrying the whole of the Turkish forward system of works, namely, the line of trenches skirting the lower part of the Kereves Dere. Further to the left the Second French Division and our 155th Brigade maintained the two lines of trenches they had gained. But on the left of the 155th Brigade the Fourth Battalion, King's Own Scottish Borderers, pressed on too eagerly. They not only carried the third line of trenches, but charged on up the hill and beyond the third line, then advanced, indeed, until they came under the "feu de barage" of the French artillery. Nothing could live under so cruel a crossfire from friend and foe, so the King's Own Scottish Borderers were forced to fall back, with heavy losses, to the second line of enemy trenches, which they had captured in their first rush.

Turks' Desperate Resistance.

DURING this fighting telephone wires from forward positions were cut by enemy's shell fire, and here and there in the elaborate network of trenches numbers of Turks were desperately resisting to the last. Thus, though the second line of captured trenches continued to be held as a whole, much confused fighting ensued; there were retirements in parts of the line, reserves were rapidly being used up, and generally the situation was anxious and uncertain. But the best way of clearing it up seemed to be to deliver the second phase of the attack by the 157th Brigade, just as it had originally been arranged. Accordingly, after a preliminary bombardment, the 157th Brigade rushed forward under heavy machine-gun and rifle fire, and splendidly carried the whole of the enemy trenches allotted as their objective. Here, then, our line had advanced some 400 yards, while the 155th Brigade and the Second French Division had advanced between 200 and 300 yards. At 6 p. m. the Fifty-second Division was ordered to make the line good; it seemed to be fairly in our grasp.

All night long determined counter-attacks, one after another, were repulsed by the French and the 155th Brigade, but about 7:30 a. m. the right of the 157th Brigade gave way before a party of bombers, and our grip upon the enemy began to weaken.

I therefore decided that three battalions of the Royal Naval Division should reinforce a fresh attack to be made that afternoon, July 13, on such portions of our original objectives as remained in the enemy's hands. This second attack was a success. The First French Division pushed their right down to the mouth of the Kereves Dere; the Second French Division attacked the trenches they had failed to take on the preceding day; the Nelson Battalion, on the left of the Royal Naval Division attack, valiantly advanced and made good, well supported by the artillery of the French. The Portsmouth Battalion, pressing on too far, fell into precisely the same error at precisely the same spot as did the Fourth King's Own Scottish Borderers on the twelfth, an over-impetuosity which cost them heavy losses.

A Solid Advance.

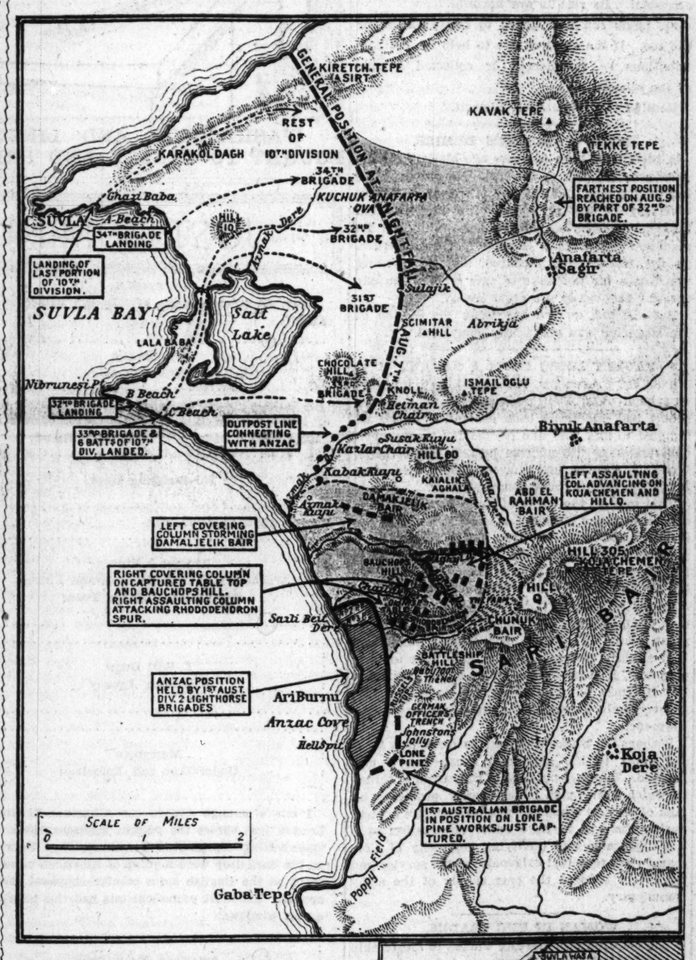
GENERALLY, the upshot of the attack was this. On our right and on the French left two lines had been captured, but in neither case was the third, or last, line of the system in their hands. Elsewhere a fine feat of arms had been accomplished, and a solid and enduring advance had been achieved, giving us far the best sited line for defense with much the best field for machine-gun and rifle fire we had hitherto obtained upon the peninsula.

Only one other action need be mentioned before coming to the big operations of August. On the extreme right of Anzac the flank of a work called Tasmania Post was threatened by the extension of a Turkish trench. The task of capturing this trench was intrusted to the Third Australian Brigade. After an artillery bombardment, mines were to be fired, whereupon four columns of 50 men each were to assault and occupy specified lengths of the trench. The regiment supplying the assaulting columns was the Eleventh Australian Infantry Battalion.

At 10:15 p. m. on July 31 the bombardment was opened. Ten minutes later and the mines were duly fired. The four assaulting parties

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Map Showing High-Tide of Allied Operations on Gallipoli Peninsula



The upper portion of the map shows positions at Suvla about the evening of Aug. 7 and those of Anzac approximately at 11:30 a. m. on the night of Aug. 6-7. The original Anzac position is shown by a straight line tint, and the position at the end of Aug. 10 by a broken line inclosing a light-tinted area. The positions won and lost again are shown within a dotted line. The area temporarily gained towards the Anafarta Ridge in Suvla area is also indicated by a fine line inclosing a lightly tinted area. The lower map is a general view of the peninsula showing the three landing places of the allies.



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"That Brilliant Writer," Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton



GEN. SIR IAN HAMILTON.

THE Lord Northcliffe papers, led by the London Times, assailed Gen. Hamilton as incompetent from the time the first unfavorable news began to come from the Dardanelles expedition in May. They called him a theoretical soldier without the qualifications for leading an expedition of such importance as that against Gallipoli. The Times' opposition grew bitterer as time passed without success and on July 7 when Gen. Hamilton's thrilling report of the first landing was published the paper referred to him sarcastically as "that brilliant writer."

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Capital Punishment Defended.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Replying to L. P. Custer's arguments capital punishment is right. Every murderer, every abnormal criminal, dangerous to society, should be exterminated as humanely and as painlessly as possible. He should not be tortured by barbarous hanging nor by a sentence of life imprisonment, from which he may be pardoned or escape to repeat his crime or propagate his kind.

Killing for a proper purpose is right, for it is the law of the Creator. Man can no more prevent it than he can stop a cyclone or the revolution of the earth on its axis. It is nature's decree that something must die in order that something else may live. Every living thing, man included, has an enemy which is seeking to kill it or him for food or self-preservation. Even poisonous insects and reptiles and savage beasts are killed and eaten. Man is constantly eating, drinking and breathing microbes and bacilli, which often strike him down in the prime of life and usefulness. He may lose his life by accident. Nature has decreed that no living thing shall increase so rapidly that it shall exterminate every other living thing. That is another meaning of death. That is why every living creature is provided with some means of defense or escape. It is why millions of men in Europe are now living in holes in the ground, seeking to kill each other like wild beasts, despite 20 centuries of Christian teaching and the thin veneer of modern civilization. There will be wars as long as there is overpopulation, selfishness and ignorance amongst mankind. In the meantime, the Creator's inexorable law of survival of most of the fittest, will prevail.

In view of these greater facts, how trivial appear the objections to execution of criminals and the painless death of suffering, insurable idoits and deformed infants! JEFF MACKAY.

Roosevelt on Preparedness.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Yes, Mr. Wilson made a pretty good political campaign on the preparedness issue, but unfortunately for him he was too late to make a political clean sweep, as he did not come out for national defense until forced to do so by political exigencies.

More than a year ago Mr. Roosevelt, in his masterful way, told us what the country needed in the way of military and industrial preparedness.

At best, Mr. Wilson is only a follower after the real leader, but we must give him credit for knowing when to follow. T. R. HAZARD.

Cost of Baryta Manufacture.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The inclosed clipping on Washington County baryta mining has just been called to the writer's attention.

While it is true that the baryta or tiff miner is getting $3 per ton, it is not true that the manufacturers are getting $20 and upwards for the finished product. We do know of sales that have been made as high as $25 to $27 f. o. b. New York, but even at these seeming high prices "it is not all gold that glitters," for most of the paint trade contracted for their 1916 requirements in the fall of last year at about $17 to $18 f. o. b. New York. This means about $13 to $14 St. Louis, as the freight rate from St. Louis to New York amounts to $4 per ton in itself.

Then on top of this there is a very high manufacturing cost on account of the large use of sulphuric acid in the manufacture of baryte in order to bleach the barytes and bring it up to a snow white color. Then the acid must be washed out of the material, in consequence of which the general equipment of a barytes plant deteriorates very rapidly. In the meantime the price of sulphuric acid has climbed almost out of reach, for the reason that sulphuric acid is being used in large quantities in the manufacture of war munitions and, whereas, a person was formerly able to purchase sulphuric acid in the neighborhood of $10 per ton, today he is lucky if he can buy it from $35 up to $50 per ton, and in some cases it has sold at $75 to $125 and $150 per ton for immediate deliveries.

Now, as a matter of fact, with all these conditions to contend with, the barytes manufacturer should really be getting about $40 per ton in order to be in a prosperous condition. In that case he could then afford to pay the miner $1 or $2 per ton more for his labor.

WILLIAM A. BUDDECKE,
President Point Milling and Mfg. Co.
Mineral Point, Mo.

MISREPRESENTED WOMEN.

If the voters of Missouri believe that Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt represented the views of Missouri women in her preachment against preparedness for national defense, the equal suffrage amendment stands no chance of success at the polls.

We do not believe the women agree with Mrs. Catt that American men should not be prepared and willing to defend their country, its liberties and institutions, their homes and all they hold dear in life from aggressors. What woman would respect a man who refused to defend his mother, wife, daughter or sister from indignity or injury? Or respect a man who weakly neglected to prepare himself to defend these when he knew that assault might come at any time?

What woman would want her husband or son to go into a fight with a powerful aggressor wholly unprepared—to go to certain defeat or death.

This is the logical result of unpreparedness. It keeps no greedy nor unscrupulous aggressor from attacking—it invites attack—but it makes the unprepared defender the easy victim and prey of the prepared aggressor. It dooms defenders to useless and vain slaughter by aggressors.

Mrs. Catt's faulty reasoning process is shown by her saying that we should not prepare for defense, but should prepare for peace through international courts. This is emphasized and her utter lack of a true conception of citizenship and loyalty is proven by her repeated statement that we should not expect citizens of foreign origin to fight for this country against their former countries.

We want peace but we cannot have it without justice and the consent of nations which are prepared for war and are willing to wage it for gain. We want international courts to establish justice under law, but we must have the co-operation of strong nations with sufficient power to enforce the court's decrees against offending nations. Courts are useless without the power to enforce their decrees.

As for citizens of foreign origin, if they are not willing to defend the country of their adoption against any aggressor they do not belong to it; their oath of allegiance is false; they are aliens and traitors. Let them return to the land they love and the government they prefer. No man can serve two countries.

President Wilson aptly stated the situation when he said we want peace but we do not make the conditions that exist in the world; they are made for us by others. We should strive for the things that ought to be, but we must deal with things as they are.

We do not want peace without justice. The women do not want it. They refuse to let men live in peace so long as there is oppression of the weak by the strong. Their fight for suffrage is a fight for justice. Thank God, that it is so. When men and women are willing to accept peace without justice the world should end. It will not be a fit place in which to live.

Never has there been a time when the women of this country lacked patriotism. When the country called for men to defend their rights and liberties the women stood by them; they shared their labors, their sufferings and their sacrifices. They will always do it. Mrs. Catt misrepresents the women.

SCRAMBLED AND UNSCRAMBLED BASEBALL

Organized baseball either is or is not a trust and for more than a year the chance to tell which it is was Judge Landis'—one of the great opportunities of modern jurisprudence. But he held it under advisement so long the warring magnates got together, settled their differences out of court and withdrew their suit.

Our impatience to know whether the baseball we have is scrambled or unscrambled kept us in a state of agitation for 12 months. The worst of it is that while we shall always be haunted by a lurking suspicion that a trust controls the diamond, we may never know for certain.

THE INTELLECTUAL DEATH ROLL.

Paris publishes a list of 3000 dead composed of the names of men who were well known in the arts, science, literature, the law and politics—slain in the field of war. They represented the best mind, the intellectual power, of France. They represent the loss of intellectual life, the incalculable loss of France and of the world.

The loss of the best men of a country cannot be apportioned to that country alone. They are citizens of the world, and the whole of mankind suffers in their destruction.

Is the power of mind, the quality of intellectual life, wholly transmissible? Do succeeding generations inherit all that such men as these dead of France had? Or does something of the world's intellectual store actually die with them?

The Golden Age of Greece still lives in idea; an undying heritage of classic ideals as bright today as though Greece still lived as a cultural force. Civilization will undoubtedly persist despite the terrific cost it pays to war; but that war retards rather than advances it who can doubt?

War is rarely the fruition of the best ideas or highest intelligence of the human race. The remaking of mere political geography has been war's main business and achievement since we have a record of it. To us who witness the carnage, the conflict can never seem to be worth the cost—especially when it strikes at the world's dead letters. The physical impossibility of enforcing a too voluminous system of laws is patent.

We are called a free people not much hedged about by law, and we are proud of our so-called "law-abiding" character; but in truth we are harried on all sides by every conceivable manner of attempted legislation, and our respect for law is dangerously undermined by the failure of the attempts. The end to which indiscriminate, profuse and futile lawmaking logically points is anarchy, with every man a law unto himself.

THE MANIA FOR NEW LAWS.

A thousand bills were introduced in the Senate within the first few days of the present session of Congress. Every legislator who attends a session of a lawmaking body, State or national, takes with him a satchel full of new measures to propose. Fortunately some of them are not introduced and some die a-borning or through neglect or abandonment. But many are actually enacted into law. It is estimated that between sixty and seventy thousand new laws have been enacted by Congress and our State Legislatures in the past five years. This is an average of 12,000 a year, or about 33 per day, or one every 40 minutes.

In the light of its profuse output, legislation would appear to be largely a sort of monkey business, a bandarlog deliberation—for many, if not most, of these laws must be meaningless. Most of them must be forgotten or soon become

NO SCHOOL COLLECTIONS.

The desirability of having an elephant in the zoo purchased by contributions of children has no relation to the undesirability of using the public schools as a means of collecting money for a zoo elephant or any other purpose.

It is announced that Supt. Blewett has designated Feb. 29 as "Elephant day" in the schools and that collections from the children will be taken on that day for the elephant fund. It is announced that a silk flag will be given to the school raising the largest contribution.

Not only will the public school pupils be harried for contributions of money, but an odious competition and comparison between the rich pupil and the poor pupil, the rich school and the poor school will be instituted. What of the children whose parents cannot afford to contribute? What heart-burning and humiliation for them!

Supt. Blewett made a mistake in giving permission for this collection in the schools. No money collections should ever be authorized in the public schools. The schools should never be used for an agency for money collections for any purpose whatever. It is bad policy. Is is bad precedent. Its results are harmful.

St. Louis can well afford to buy animals for the zoo. If the children are to help let the contributions be volunteered or collected outside of the schools.

Rescind the permit. Mr. Blewett.

MOLLY FANCHER'S DEMISE.

A little more than 50 years ago Molly Fancher, grievously ill, took to her bed. No one expected her to live long, but she did. On the fiftieth anniversary of her invalidism the Post-Dispatch thought the case remarkable enough to tell its readers about it in a Sunday Magazine article. As the feature was prepared, and its printing was begun for the issue of this Sunday, no one thought she would die right away.

But she did, on the day when the edition of the Magazine was practically completed.

FAULTY LOGIC FROM A SAVANT.

This Dr. Fressenger, Parisian savant, ventured on ground where every nook and crevice and even pebble had previously been charted when he attempted to link beer and psychology in opprobrious relations. He affirms beer is not esthetic, tends to obesity and makes people ferocious; hence the methods of German warfare.

That may be the effect of some brands of beer, certain of those produced around Milwaukee, for instance. St. Louis, however, has no acquaintance with them and wants none. Beer in general, that is potable beer, has always been celebrated for its benign influence on psychology. It radiates cheering influence. It tends to geniality, sweetness of disposition, good nature, mildness of viewpoint, sound conscience, sympathetic kindliness. If it slightly promotes obesity according to temperament, it promotes the graces of life intensively. It tends, not to ferocity, but to philosophy, as everybody knows who knows anything about Germans.

Perhaps the good doctor has reasoned back from the effect to the antithetal cause—lux a non lucendo. The very opposite of the excellent things to which beer tends is fearsomely promoted by lack of beer. Perhaps he was unfortunate enough during the war to have under observation only the implacable and terrifying pugnacity of Germans when regretted exigencies of the service had cut off or reduced the beer supply of the army commissary.

WOMAN IN THE TRADES.

The question of admitting women to mastership in mechanical trades is squarely before the German Trades Union Council.

There are, according to the Holzwelt, the following applications on file for masters:

17 cabinetmakers,	1276 cigarmakers,
97 plumbers,	21 locksmiths,
2601 confectioners,	624 saddlers,
2198 bakers,	9 stationary engineers,
3 horseshoers,	198 wood turners,
248 musicians,	4 brewers.

The letter carriers' union, the bartenders' association, the restaurant waiters' union and the barbers have already freely admitted competent applicants without question as to sex.

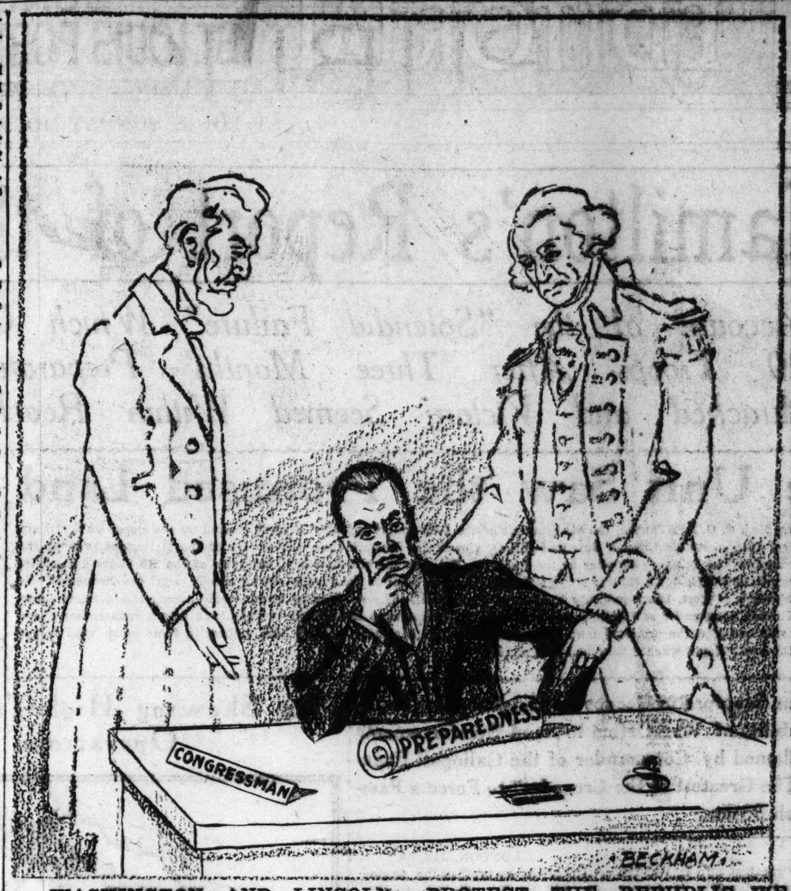
Legal advice is twofold: Some counsel free and absolute admission, "ad interim"—this is, until the men shall return from the war; other advice insists on the impossibility of taking their rights from the women when once admitted.

All applicants have been subjected to physical and trade examinations, and only those found competent for the master's degree have been entered on the lists.

In most instances the women applicants are the wives, widows or daughters of men at the front, who have been compelled to leave their shops in the hands of the women folks, who now wish to obtain full authorization as master mechanics.

According to the Holzwelt the examinations of the applicants have been unnecessarily severe, as many of the examiners are radically opposed to women working at trades; and the paper mentions the case of Fraulein Anna Moest of Kaufbeuren, who had applied for the master degree in blacksmithing. She was compelled to work with the heaviest sledge for hours, move about anvils from one place to another, shift heavy masses of iron, strip to the waist, shoe a horse and do a day's labor of an ordinary blacksmith in three hours. But she stood the test.

The paper thinks that this is only the dawn of difficulties between the sexes. It deplores the exodus from their homes of hundreds of thousands of women with a view to "fighting the world."



WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN: PROTECT THE REPUBLIC WE FOUGHT TO CREATE AND PRESERVE.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

IN SIGNS.

From an advertisement of "In the Palace of the King":

5000 People
4000 Costumes

A Mississippi River fisherman with a lively sense of humor caught this sign from some upriver city during a flood, and stuck it up on his island:

No Dumping Here

Some signs at Anna, Ill.:

Hooper & Staves
Woodenware, Tubs, Buckets and Firkins
Also Justice of the Peace

I. Will Dunn
Collection Agency

Merryman
Undertaker and Embalmer

I saw a strange sign in the Alhambra Theater at London just before the present unpleasantness. The stage-setting represented Broadway, New York, and on the back-drop were a group of American stores and shops as the English scene-painter supposed them to appear. The most prominent one had this inscription on its windows:

American Drug Store
Free Luncheons

JOVE.

On Main Plaza, San Antonio:

A. Limburger Saloon.

In the famous cemetery, Pere la Chaise, in Paris, near Rossini's tomb, in a red granite mausoleum, which always has a crown of fresh flowers to distinguish it from the historical monuments around the inquisitive visitor will find a tablet on it with the name of:

Sarah Bernhardt.
(space)
died.....

For 15 years one of the daily visitors to the cemetery has been the famous actress (when in Paris), or a maid (in her absence), with the invariable wreath of fresh flowers. That grave is not neglected.

Three graves in a row, one at a little distance—with inscriptions:

Mary Jane, wife of John Smith.
Amelia, wife of John Smith.
Edith, wife of John Smith.
* * * *
John Smith at rest.

The Mannheimer Friedhof (cemetery) presents a hedged-in lot with four graves—three husbands of one wife. On the latter's grave is the inscription:

She has gone to her reward.

BREAK YOUR MATCH IN TWO.

There haven't been so many forest fires as usual this year. And men in the forestry service say that one of the principal reasons is the new hint that heads a list of ten anti-fire rules sent out from Washington last summer.

The rule is simply this: "Break your match in two before you throw it away."

It may sound absurd. But if you've never tried it, suppose you do so. You'll find that you can't break that match in two without burning your finger unless you've first blown it out and held it for a moment for the glowing end to cool.

Thousands of hunters and campers in all the national forests caught up that rule because it struck their fancy and was perfectly simple and easy. Most fires in the woods have probably been caused by lighted matches thrown away by careless smokers. Those broken matches don't start any fires.—Ogden Examiner.

A SKEPTIC.

An esteemed citizen was rambling along when he met a friend wearing a rather doubtful cast of countenance.

"Say, Jim," remarked the friend, "I want to ask you about Dr. Syrup. Do you really think his medicines are helpful?"

"No," was the prompt rejoinder of Jim, "not unless you closely follow his invariable directions."

"His invariable directions?" returned the other, wonderingly. "What are they?"

"You will find them on every bottle," smiled the merry James. "Keep the bottle tightly corked."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

WHAT IS NEEDED.

Prof. Harry A. Overman of the college of the City of New York says the world needs a new religion. Doubtless the professor could supply the demand, too, if called upon. But the world's need is people who will live up to the ideals of the religion they already have. This recalls grand old Edward Everett Hale's famous rejoinder to the man who asked:

"Is Christianity a failure?"

"I do not know," replied Dr. Hale, "it has never been tried."—Muncie Press.

ODD STREET NAMES.

A French contemporary has been amusing itself by making a list of long street names, and offers the Parisian record—Rue des Pretres-Saint-Germain-l'Auxerrois. That is a mouthful, but it is equaled by a thoroughfare in Brussels that rejoices in the name of Rou de la Montagne aux Herbes-Potageres. In the outskirts of the Belgian capital there is even more of a tongue-twister, the Ongeschildezifferenockemootjestraat, which may be translated as the street of the little unpicked silver nut.—Weekly Scotsman.

THAW EXPECTED.

"As a result of their long daily glides on the ice they will be married in the spring," says a report of a romance between a Chicago girl and her skating instructor.

And in the spring the ice will melt, after which points of uncongeniality may develop.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SENSE OF HUMOR.

"Is it true that women have no sense of humor?"

"I don't think so," replied Miss Cayenne. "If a girl laughed every time she felt like it she'd be considered rather impolite and perhaps even cruel."—Washington Star.

HARD LUCK.

"Don't cry, Willie! Grandpa will play Indian with you."

"B-but you won't do any good. Y-you're scalped already."—Judge.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

Query for Sunday Answers must be mailed a week beforehand.

ABOUT ICE CREAM.

SIMMONS.—The food and drug law requires that ice cream made to sell must contain not less than 4 per cent of butterfat, and milk averages 5½ per cent, sometimes testing 4 per cent. The addition of sugar, etc., reduces the butterfat content in the finished product, hence ice cream made from milk alone would not contain the required butterfat content. The law further requires that all ice cream must be labeled with the minimum butterfat content thereof and the declaration of artificial color, imitation flavor, and if more than 1 per cent of gum tragacanth or vegetable gum be used. Ice cream mixture to be frozen must be cold when put into freezer. Ice should be crushed as fine as possible and one-third as much rock salt as ice used. Easiest way to crush ice is to put it into a stout gunny sack and pound fine with hammer or back of ax. Having made the cream and poured it into the can, set it in the wooden tub and place around it alternate layers of crushed ice and salt. Let the layers of ice be two or three inches deep, with one inch of salt sprinkled evenly over the ice. Let the ice mixture come a few inches above the cream in the can. Freezing should be done very slowly at first, as rapid freezing makes lumpy cream. About 500 revolutions will usually be sufficient to freeze the cream. When sufficiently frozen remove the dasher, scrape down the cream, remove the lid and cork tightly. If the cream is to be served within an hour, no more ice will be needed. Simply push the can down into the ice, put a weight on top to hold it and cover with a piece of old carpeting. Sherbets and ices are better served as soon after freezing as possible. Ice cream, on the other hand, is richer if allowed to "ripen" several hours before serving. If these directions are carefully followed, the cream should be smooth and velvety and perfectly free from lumps. When a granular consistency is required, as in frappe, use a larger proportion of salt. Plain ice cream: 2 cups milk, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup cream, flavoring. Put cream, milk and sugar in a saucepan on the fire, and stir till sugar melts and milk steams, but does not boil. Take it off and beat with the egg-beater till it is cold; add the flavoring and freeze.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

F. M. L.—Black spots on silver will yield to this cleaning paste: Mix a little prepared chalk or whiting to a smooth paste with a little sweet oil; rub well on the stained spots, allowing it to dry on, and then rubbing off in the usual way with a chamois skin. Another good paste is made by mixing hartshorn powder and spirits of wine. Boiling in washing soda, which is so highly recommended, will remove dirt and grease, but not stains. But if a soft rag be moistened with ammonia and then dipped in baking soda the stains will disappear immediately. No rubbing is necessary and the silver is beautifully bright. Neither is satisfactory used alone.

MRS. E. L.—Orange cake: One cup butter, 3 cups sugar, yolks of 3 eggs, 1 cup milk, whites of 4 eggs, 4 cups flour, grated rind and juice of 1 large navy orange. Cream the butter and sugar; add rind and juice with 3 tablespoons lemon juice, then yolks beaten until thick; then put in the flour to which sift 1 level teaspoon soda; fold in the whites; bake in funnel loaf in about an hour in moderate oven. When cool cover with icing.—French nut cakes call for half cup butter beaten to a cream with a cup of sugar; add gill sweet milk, pinch of salt, 4 well-beaten eggs and stir in cup of walnut meats very finely chopped, with enough flour to make stiff dough; roll out lightly and cut into fancy shapes.—"Old Virginia cheese cakes," beloved of the grandmothers, but not often seen now, are really little pies, as a crust is first made, baked in small patty pans and then filled. Mix big tablespoon lard and pinch of salt into pint of sifted flour, and make into soft dough with iced water; roll, line patty pans and bake in quick oven; then fill with mixture made by beating 2 eggs with sugar until thick; add quarter cup soft butter and half cup milk that has had teaspoon vinegar stirred into it, with half a nutmeg, grated; set in the oven just long enough to brown on top.—A Boston woman writes: Did you ever make a layer cake and put it between layers and frost with it? One egg, 1 cup sugar. Stir until cream color, then add 1 cup milk or milk and water, or all water, in which 1 level teaspoon of soda has been dissolved. Now add 1½ cups flour and 2 level spoons cream tartar; stir thoroughly, and lastly add 2 tablespoons melted butter. Flavor and bake in well-greased layer-cake tins.

MISCELLANEOUS.

L. M.—See R. R. ticket offices about opening dates of resorts.

FAVORS.—No matter which side of plate the favors are placed.

L. M. H. R.—Phone dancing masters about leap year dances.

E. C. (Illinois)—Wills are not filed until death of maker, and when filed then in county where maker resided.

G. A. R.—If Alaska and island accessions are excluded, center of area of United States is in Smith County, Northern Kansas, three miles north of Reamsville and 15 miles north by west of Smith Center. If Alaska, Porto Rico, Hawaii and Philippines are included, then this country's center is out in the Pacific Ocean west of northern part of coast of Oregon and south of eastern part of south coast of Alaska. Center of population, 7 miles east of Bloomington, Ind.

F. M. L.—Patent Attorney Hugh R. Wagner of St. Louis says there has been no United States supreme court decision that one who is selling a patented article does not need a peddler's license from the state in which he sells. Interstate commerce laws provide that no incorporated town within the United States has the right to impose a license on an agent who takes orders for goods by house-to-house canvass and delivers in future. (Rider Haggard is not dead. He is Sir Rider Haggard, and is said to be of a deeply melancholy temperament.)

R. P. H.—A tariff is a list of goods with the duties or customs to be paid upon them either on importation or exportation. The principle of a tariff depends upon the commercial policy of the state by which it is used and the details are constantly changing to meet the change of interests and the wants of the community or in accordance with commercial treaties with other countries. A revenue tariff is a tariff which has for its main object the production of revenue as differing from a tariff which combines revenue with the boosting of certain industries. Tariff reform is the removal of inequalities or abuses in a tariff system. In recent American politics tariff reform has come to mean a favoring of a general reduction in the import duties, especially in raw materials, and a general movement away from protection.

R. S.—Pins are now made by "beautiful automatic machinery." In a pin-making machine wire of suitable gauge running off a reel is drawn in a straightened by passing between straightening pins or studs set in a table. When a pin length has entered it is caught by lateral jaws, beyond which enough of the end projects to form a pinhead. Against this end a steel punch advances and compresses the metal by a die arrangement into the form of a head. The pin length is immediately cut off and the headed piece drops into a slit sufficiently wide to pass the wire through, but retain the head. The pins are consequently suspended by the head while their projecting extremities are held against a revolving cutter, by which they are pointed. They are next cleaned by being boiled in weak beer, and then arranged in a copper pan in layers alternating with layers of grained tin. The contents of the pan are covered with water over which a quantity of argol (tartrate of potash) is sprinkled, and after boiling for several hours the brass pins are coated with a thin deposit of tin which gives them their silvery appearance. They are then washed in clean water and dried and polished by being revolved in a barrel, mixed with fine bran or sawdust, from which they are winnowed finished pins. (Screw pointing is done by a special machine, somewhat like the lathe in outline.)

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STANDING WITH RELUCTANT FEET.
—Rollin Kirby in New York World.

What Lusitania Settlement Should Be

A BRITISH VIEW.

London Daily News: It is obvious that he (President Wilson) cannot surrender on the Lusitania issue without suffering personal disaster of an irreparable kind and without gravely discrediting his country.

President Wilson has committed himself so definitely and so finally to extracting from Germany a plea of guilty on the count of illegality that an equivocal success will not serve.

If President Wilson accepts anything short of a decisive victory his persistence will have proved to be only the persistence of a man who entered the struggle without counting the cost.

THE WORD THAT STICKS.

New York Globe: Looked at in one way it is not of great consequence whether Germany expressly recognizes the illegality of her act in sinking the Lusitania. With great plausibility it can be said that if Germany expresses regret, offers compensation, and promises not to repeat the offense, she has in substance if not in form acknowledged the illegality of her act.

Yet it is plain enough that if this country does not insist on Germany saying the word that sticks in her throat, Germany will be regarded as having won in the great controversy. This country will have surrendered the principle it has been struggling for. In other wars it will be possible for other Governments to set up the claim that they are permitted, under the right of reprisal, to disregard fundamental obligations of international law and point to the Lusitania settlement to support their view.

LET TECHNICALITIES GO.

Pittsburg Press: Making reparation for the act and promising that it shall not be repeated is confession enough. It would safeguard our interests and preserve our honor, and more we are not asking of Germany or anybody else.

Fortunately, the President does not appear to have allowed radical counsel to swerve him from the middle course. It is possible that by insisting on the use of the word to which Germany objects he might force the rupture of diplomatic relations. The latest advices from Washington credit him with an inclination to accept the substantial redress proposed by Germany and let the technicality go. We are sure this is what the country would wish him to do. Germany has given evidence that she desires the friendly relations of the two nations to continue. This is certainly the universal wish on this side of the Atlantic. Such a state of public opinion warrants a lively hope that, in spite of the frequent alarms, a final settlement of the vexed question satisfactory to both nations will be reached within a few days.

GERMANY NOT DEFIANT.

New York Times: Germany, of course, cannot refuse disavowal of a deed admitted to be unlawful. That is manifestly the inference or conclusion which has created so hopeful a feeling in Washington. The German argument from the beginning has made it plain that the Imperial Government would not fall back upon the defiant defense, that she would never say, "Yes, the act was illegal, what are you going to do about it?" She has sought to set up justifications, all have failed her. Now we get the candid truth that the Lusitania was attacked under orders, an act so plainly contradictory to law and all principles of law that disavowal necessarily follows—if there is any desire for the continuance of friendly relations. We know that Berlin desires the continuance of friendly relations as earnestly as does Washington, and Berlin has reasons and motives for action to that end which have no bearing upon Washington. The point of disavowal has been almost reached, so closely that persons who permit principles to be obscured by phrases and forms of expression have been rather prematurely jubilant. The firmness of the administration has had its reward in the immense advance toward our position made by Germany since the reply to our first Lusitania note was sent. Maintained, it will have its full reward in the honorable, express and satisfactory admission that it was not lawful to issue and execute orders involving attacks upon American citizens.

MUST ADMIT ILLEGALITY.

Washington Herald: If Germany admits that the destruction of the Lusitania was "illegal" we will forgive her in our diplomatic records for killing 115 Americans, and if she refuses we will not forgive. To this point nine months of diplomatic exchanges have brought us. But it does look as if Germany will have to say "illegal" if we persist in our determination to carry out the promise to hold her to "strict accountability."

WHAT WE HAVE DEMANDED.

Philadelphia Inquirer: After many months of an effort to arrive at an understanding what are said to be Germany's maximum concessions are now in the hands of Secretary Lansing.

It is useless to discuss the situation until the President is willing to take the public into his confidence and give out the correspondence and the results of it. But there is this to be said:

The sinking of the Lusitania was an utterly lawless act.

Not only was the murder of the American citizens on board lawless, but the murder of citizens of other countries was equally so, for the attack on the vessel was in itself a dastardly crime against civilization and against international law.

We began this controversy with Germany by taking the high stand of duty to humanity. If the State Department has gained from Berlin full recognition of this high stand, well and good. If it has not, then we must either insist that the lawlessness of the Lusitania assassination be conceded or we must be satisfied with a compromise which would in reality yield a diplomatic victory as well as a triumph over law to Germany.

The public will await the pleasure of the administration in this matter with much more than ordinary interest.

THE "INTENT TO KILL."

Washington Times: Berlin, it is reported, is unwilling to admit that the sinking of the Lusitania was illegal; but is willing to declare that in that sinking there was no "intent to kill" the Americans whose lives were lost.

Perhaps diplomacy and technicalism can explain such a curious use of language to conceal thought. But it does not seem possible. Intent to kill? The intent to kill was advertised by the Germany embassy in American papers. The passengers booked for the boat were warned of the intent to kill. The torpedo was made and loaded into the pneumatic tube of a submarine with no other thought than the intent to kill. It was fired by the most skillful hand that could be commanded for the act, with intent to kill, and no other possible intent.

Legal or illegal, there certainly was intent to kill; and the attitude of the German public after the killing made very evident that the killing of the Americans caused peculiar and especial satisfaction.

Call it reprisal, if you will; call it legal, or illegal; decent warfare or excuseless savagery; but for heaven's sake don't let the United States be made ridiculous by accepting now a leering assurance that there was no "intent to kill." There was absolutely nothing else to the act save intent to kill; absolutely nothing.



STRIPPED. —Gregg in Denver Post.

Government Armament Factories

GOVERNMENT ARMOR PLANTS.

Pittsburg Dispatch (Ind.): Hearings before Senator Tillman's Naval Committee on Secretary Daniels' proposed Government armor plant, while not changing the predetermined approval of the committee, brought out some facts worthy of public consideration. The maximum armor plate output of the three private manufacturers is 32,000 tons a year. Mr. Daniels wants Congress to spend $11,000,000 in erecting a Government plant of 10,000 tons capacity. His theory is that Government competition will keep down prices. But it was shown that prices are affected chiefly by steady or intermittent operation. Running at full capacity or at a regular rate under a five-year contract, the manufacturers could quote a lower price than if, as has been the case under the uncertain naval policy of Congress, they had no assurance from year to year whether they would have work or not. Daniels' low estimate of bare manufacturing cost by the Government plant is based on running at full capacity, and admittedly omits overhead charges. It is not, therefore, at all a comparison on even terms between a governmental and private plants. To obtain that he would have to compare private bids on the same basis of operation at full capacity or under a contract covering a definite period of years.

How little Senator Tillman understands of manufacturing many be gathered from his remark that, except in rush times, the Government plant could jog along at eight hours a day. Pittsburgers familiar with the operations in our steel mills may smile at this South Carolina idea of making armor plate as you pitch hay. Also, as one witness asked him, what would happen to Daniels' full capacity estimate of cost when the plant lay idle 16 hours a day. But if experience with the navy yard shops counts for anything, it would not be allowed to lie idle. Congressional representatives see to that by insisting that wherever there is a navy yard it be kept running, whether needed or not, so the folks back home get the "pork." Instead of limiting expenditures on munitions, as some think, governmental factories would, through the political pressure in Congress, be kept running as long as there was a dollar in the treasury, whether the munitions were needed or were not. Begun on a pretext of economy, governmental manufacture might prove ruinously extravagant in the end.

FRANKLY DEFIANT.

Cleveland Plain Dealer (Ind. Dem.): Private manufacturers of armor plate show marked absence of enthusiasm over the proposal that the United States shall begin making some of its own plate. They have sought, apparently in vain, to dissuade the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs from recommending the needed appropriation. In spite of their activity, the Tillman bill is being received with favor.

All this was to be expected. But the discussion has brought out one fact that merits consideration quite apart from the merits of the main proposition:

The president of one of the three companies which make Government armor plate said to the committee that if Congress decided on Government manufacture, he would at once recommend to his directors that steps be taken for the amortization of the $7,100,000 investment in their plant. Now it is learned at Washington that this threat has been translated into a definite plan for scrapping the plant.

This is extraordinary frankness. Obviously, the only way the manufacturers of plate can quickly amortize their investment is by charging the Government a greatly increased price for plate. In other words, the Government is given to understand that the penalty it must endure for the privilege of making some of its own armor, at a future date is the payment meanwhile of prices which no theory of cost price could justify.

Not often has a Government been offered a more openly defiant proposition. In effect, Congress is given the alternative of paying an unjust price for plate during the period it is preparing to begin manufacture itself, or of sacrificing something of naval preparedness.

Is this a result of the long years of tariff nursing? A pampered child is first to turn against its parents. Something of the same parental penalty appears to attach to the practice of protecting an infant industry over long.

Bankrupt Mexico

Philadelphia Inquirer (Rep.): American capitalists do not share the confidence in Carranza's ability to establish an orderly government or in his readiness to discharge Mexico's international obligations which President Wilson's recognition of him expressed, and one of his agents who had been deputed to ascertain what chance there was of floating a Mexican loan in New York City was not long in learning that there was no chance at all. High finance has promptly and emphatically refused to entertain any such suggestion. American investors have already lost many millions in Mexico as a consequence of the policy of "Watchful waiting" which the Wilson administration has pursued, and they have been told officially that for their losses they have no one to blame but themselves.

In the meanwhile the Mexican paper dollar is selling for 5 cents and Mexico has defaulted on its obligations to the extent of $64,000,000, nearly all of which amount is owing to foreign creditors. Rich as the country is in potential wealth, it cannot recover from the bankruptcy in which Mr. Wilson has done so much to plunge it until a strong and law-abiding Government shall have been established and until foreign capital shall receive satisfying assurances that investment has been made safe.



"GOING TO LICK FATHER."
—Donahey in Cleveland Plain Dealer.



NEXT! —Orr in Nashville Tennessean.

Resignation of War Secretary Garrison

OUT OF TOUCH WITH PRESIDENT.

New York Times (Ind. Dem.): After eight months or more spent in developing a military program Mr. Garrison found that he had lost the support and confidence of his superior, whose ideas he had so faithfully formulated in his message and his communications to Congress. Whatever may be thought of the wisdom of his withdrawal at a critical moment, it would be manifestly unfair to attribute it to his failure to obtain the support of Congress, which can never be relied on by an executive officer.

CLASH OF TWO STRONG MEN.

New York American (Ind.): Mr. Garrison is a strong man, with convictions of his own. Mr. Wilson's disposition is to have about him men who have only the convictions of Mr. Wilson.

ONE OF HIS MISTAKES.

New York Herald (Ind.): Evidently Mr. Garrison's first mistake was in thinking that Woodrow Wilson as President would be the kind of a leader that Woodrow Wilson, historian, said a President should be.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADVERBS.

New York Sun (Ind.): Judge Garrison is only the latest, and probably not the last, of a long line of political and personal associates to discover the moral significance of certain adverbs and adjectives which issue readily from the President's mouth and flow copiously from his pen. It is not impossible that the President's "verys" and "franks" and "genuines," when considered with intelligent impartiality, may * * * throw light on those qualities which made it unpleasant for so honest, independent, high minded and self-respecting a public servant as Lindley Miller Garrison to continue longer in an association from which he has departed, to the incalculable loss of the administration of the country.

MAY WRECK THE ADMINISTRATION

New York Tribune (Rep.): The great service Mr. Garrison has rendered his country is two fold. He has destroyed all possible faith in the sham defense scheme Mr. Wilson has prepared to accept. He has disclosed Mr. Wilson in the act of consenting to a piece of opportunism which could only be accepted by a politician who placed personal advantage above patriotic considerations. Mr. Garrison has done more than to expose an administration. He has wrecked it.

WANTED TO DICTATE.

Chicago Journal (Dem.): Mr. Garrison has made a mistake. He has conceived it his duty to dictate to the President and the President's duty to dictate to Congress. What makes the resignation all the more regrettable is the fact that President and Secretary were in close accord as to the end they sought and differed only as to modes of procedure.

REPRESENTS THE WAR PARTY.

Louisville Evening Post (Ind.): Mr. Garrison has not been content to advise the President; he has been a propagandist, an agitator, and his place has manifestly been in the ranks of the Roosevelt men, and not in the Cabinet of a Democratic President.

Mr. Garrison is a man of ability and of ambition, and his correspondence with the President expresses an arrogance and an intolerance of opposition that are the distinctive characteristics of the war party in Germany and in America.

There is no reason why the militia may not be mobilized and nationalized. Nothing in our history nor in the history of the militia justifies the scorn with which Mr. Garrison speaks of it. In an attempt to have Congress and the nation adopt his continental army, which is no army at all, and national only in that it was intended to obliterate state lines and relieve the state of all responsibility for the army or the result of the war.

The President speaks for the wise, deliberate, practical course; the course which Congress and the people will support, while it has been made clear that neither Congress nor the people will stand for Garrison's continental device.

AN UNPATRIOTIC STEP.

Philadelphia Record (Ind. Dem.): It is most unfortunate that Judge Garrison has allowed the offspring of his brain to dominate his whole conception of national preparedness. It would have seemed more patriotic to make the best of the material at hand and to leave it to future to pass final judgment upon the merits of the various plans for increasing our military strength.

LEAVES PRESIDENT FREE.

Philadelphia Inquirer (Rep.) And so Garrison is gone and the President is left free to surrender body and soul to makeshift artists. If the Military Affairs Committee has its way preparedness will be only a name. But it may serve the purposes of Mr. Wilson, since he has apparently reached the condition of mind where anything labeled "Preparedness" that will save his face will do.

TOO BELLIGERENT.

Baltimore Sun (Dem.): Secretary Bryan resigned from the Cabinet because he was too peaceful to contemplate even the possibility of war without nausea of the conscience; Secretary Garrison resigned because the President and Congress are not belligerent and aggressive enough to suit a fierce fighting man like himself. Both cases indicate the difficulties of a man like President Wilson, who refuses to yield to extremists and who keeps in the middle of the road of common sense.

A NATIONAL LOSS.

Denver Rocky Mountain News (Ind.): Without respect to the partisan effect of the Garrison resignation, it may be stated that it comes at a bad time and is a distinct national loss. People had faith in this man. They felt he was not playing politics at the expense of a very important department of the Government. If it had been the Secretary of the Navy, a sigh of relief would have gone up that would have been heard as far off as Guam.

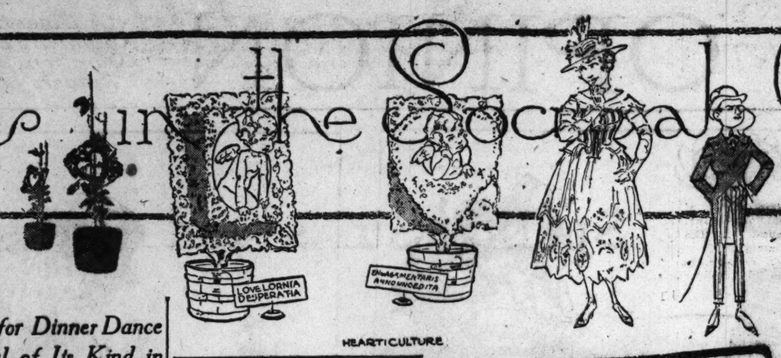
PROBABLE EFFECT ON CONGRESS.

Cincinnati Times-Star (Rep.): Secretary Garrison's resignation, acting on public sentiment, may force Congress into a more kindly view of the continental army plan. Perhaps that was Mr. Garrison's real object in resigning. In any event, his resignation is an evil omen, politically, for the administration.

WHAT EUROPE MAY THINK.

Cleveland News (Ind.): To Europe, where Cabinets come much nearer to constituting Governments, the break between Mr. Wilson and Mr. Garrison will appear a "Cabinet crisis," indicating weakness in the administration. Our uncertain friends across the water may exaggerate its importance, but they will correctly interpret its meaning. Mr. Garrison's abandonment of his efforts will signify to foreign experts assured continuation of American neglect of adequate means of national defense.

Events in the Social World





New Room in Faust Home, Setting for Dinner Dance Last Thursday, Most Beautiful of Its Kind in Country---Contains $100,000 Tapestry and Works of Art---Calendar for Coming Week Includes San Carlo Opera Co. Performances and Charity Ball at Webster Groves.

By Frances Cabanne Scovel.

THE beauty of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Faust's new room and the delightful entertainment they gave in it Thursday evening has been a topic of conversation ever since.

The room which has just been added to their already handsome residence at 1 Portland place is one of the finest in the country. It is 30 by 60 feet and 20 feet high, and in it are objects of art which include a historic tapestry which was purchased recently by Mr. Faust for $100,000, old masters, among them a real Rubens, a marble mantel from an old Italian palace and other beautiful things too numerous to describe.

Eighty of the young married set were present at the dinner dance. There were four large tables, at which the guests were seated. During dinner three artists from the San Carlos Grand Opera Company sang. They stood on the wide landing at the top of a short flight of steps that lead from the house proper into the big room. It forms a perfect stage for just such an occasion, for the singers could be seen by everyone.

Afterward the tables were cleared away and there was dancing.

Among the guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Howard A. Benoist, Harold Kauffman, John T. Davis Jr., John Lonberger Davis, Charles W. Moore, Ralph McKittrick, Harry Potter, Samuel W. Fordyce Jr., Joseph Pulitzer Jr., George W. Simmons, Oliver F. Richards, George D. Markham, John Lawrence Mauran, Orion J. Wills, Hunting Smith, John Fowler, Albert Bond Lambert, C. Eugene R. Cuendet, Daniel G. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Mudd; Messrs. Dwight F. Davis and Charles Parsons Pettus.

IT is always gay down at Jefferson Barracks where officers of all branches of the service are on recruiting detail—that is teaching "raw rookies" to be soldiers.

Detail of duty at the Barracks is but for two years, so almost constantly there is a new group of instructors. Recently there have been a number of changes and a sending back to their regiments of officers and their wives, and bringing others to take their places.

Mrs. Albert R. Dillingham gave a bridge party to all the "ladies in the post" Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Edwards, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Andrew E. Williams and Lieutenant Williams.

Among the guests were the newcomers who include Mmes. J. D. Watson, W. W. McCammon, Frank N. Chilton, R. L. Collins, O. H. Sampson, G. I. Gunckel and Ralph C. Caldwell.

Mrs. Edwards is on her way from Los Angeles, Cal., to make a visit to Columbus Barracks.

Men's suits cleaned in hot naphtha, $1. Schuck, 4119 Olive; Lindell 4600.

TOMORROW night will be the first night of the two weeks' engagement of the San Carlo Opera Co. That it will be a gala night goes without saying as the house promises to be a brilliant one and the prospects are that the season will be even better than last year.

Thursday night will be the North St. Louis Business Men's Association's night, when the music lovers from North St. Louis will fill the boxes and most of the parquet.

The boxholders for that night are as follows: W. Godfrey, president; Oscar Zeiser, Messrs. and Mmes. William Protzman, John H. Sommerich, Jos. M. Ebeling, A. S. Werremeyer, William Schumacher, John H. Gundlach, Bruno Strassberger, Edw. Pancok, Alf. W. Pauley, Louis Goeger, Fred A. Koch, H. W. Munsberg, Wm. Wedemeyer, Geo. Hohman, Dave E. J. Noonan, Emil Sielhoff, Edward Kuhs, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Weiterer, Dr. and Mrs. H. O'Bar, Messrs. and Mmes. F. W. Niederluecke, Charles Kron, Al Feutz, Messrs. L. E. Walther, A. Goodwin, M. C. McDonald and John Dowling.

We positively will reduce your weight and size. Call for trial treatment. Reducing Machine Co., 760 Century Bldg.

THE engagement of Miss Georgia Sullivan to S. Davidson Lamon, formerly of Virginia, was announced yesterday afternoon at a tea given in honor of Miss Katherine Dean of Chicago who is visiting Miss Sullivan. About 30 young matrons and girls were invited, and the announcement was made when the ice was served. On each plate were the cards of Mr. Lamon and the bride-elect tied together with white ribbon.

Miss Sullivan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sullivan of 5173 Raymond avenue. She is a graduate of the Visitation Convent. During the several years since her debut she has been regarded one of the prettiest girls in her set. She was one of the maids of honor at the Veiled Prophet ball the season she came out, and has been very popular.

Among the guests were Mmes. Carl Krausnick, Howard V. Stephens, Lewis Middleton, Charles F. Freeman, James McDonald, Misses Ruth Walton, Ethel Sultan, Naomi Davidson, Ida Grant, Agnes Shelby, Helen Bolland, Josephine Dickson and Mazie White.

Mr. Lamon is a graduate of the University of Virginia, class of 1911. He has been about four years ago. His family recently moved to Martinsburg, W. Va., but he and his bride will reside in St. Louis.

Miss Sally Meagher has returned from New York with the newest and most exclusive hats, novelties and waists. 501 Century Building.

ONE of the spring brides, whose wedding will be of more than ordinary interest, will be Miss Julia Jane Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Thomas of "Benhurst," Kirkwood, Mo. She will wed James H. Hewit Jr. of 5835 Bartmer avenue.

Miss Thomas is the granddaughter of Mrs. William M. Cooke of 5005 Cabanne avenue and a niece of Philip and Fred von Phul and therefore a descendant of the Sagrains, and has a long line of St. Louis pioneers. She is related to the Mullanphys through her father's family. The marriage will be in May.

Miss Thomas made her debut several winters ago at a reception given by Mrs. Cooke, who now is in her ninety-first year.

Miss Charlotte Reyburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amedee V. Reyburn of 4634 Lindell boulevard, is going to New Orleans for Mardi Gras and will depart Feb. 25 with Miss Ann Lumaghi, who also will visit in New Orleans at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Banister of 4542 West Pine boulevard and their daughter, Miss Marian Banister, have returned from West Baden, Ind., where they have been for a brief stay.

When enveloped in the soft folds of a white coat cleaned by Scott's your comfort is not marred by noxious odors. Scott's cleaning is odorless.

Mr and Mrs. Eugene H. Angert of Clayton are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter.

Mrs. John B. Shapleigh's tea Wednesday afternoon at the Woman's Club to introduce her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Blasdel Shapleigh, was one of the notable events of the past week.

The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Miss Margaret Shapleigh, and Miss Isabella Wells, one of the buds of the season.

Mrs. Blasdel Shapleigh was, before her marriage, Sept. 15, Miss Dorothy Schofield of Chicago. She and Miss Margaret Shapleigh were classmates at Smith College, and it was through their friendship she and Mr. Shapleigh met.

Since the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Shapleigh have been in Waynesburg, Pa., where the former was located for a year, and have just returned to make their home at 5542 Waterman avenue.

Mrs. James W. Garneau of 25 Washington terrace will give a bridge party Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Jerome Hill of Memphis, Tenn., who is visiting Mrs. Henry W. Bond.

Table linens can only be procured in choicest designs and larger varieties in an exclusive linen house. Berlin Shop, Linen Importers, Olive and Taylor.

AN out-of-town engagement of interest is that of Miss Frances Salisbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Houston Salisbury of Chicago, formerly of Webster Groves, to Albert P. Dippold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dippold of Chicago.

The announcement will be made tomorrow in Chicago at a Valentine party Mrs. Salisbury will give in honor of the occasion.

Mr. Dippold is a graduate of Cornell of the class of 1914 and is a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. The marriage will be in August.

Mrs. George W. Perry of 60 Vandeventer place gave a beautifully appointed bridge luncheon Wednesday.

Among those present were Mmes. John W. Gannett, Morton Jourdan, George W. Teasdale, Louis Barkage, Fred Smith, Harry S. Wheeler, Samuel B. Jeffries, Chris A. Garvey, Harry E. Farrell, Marquard Forster and Al Bauer.

Violets free Valentine day. With 2-lb. box Ten Broeck Candy, one bunch California Violets. Pierce Bldg. Candy Shop.

Mrs. Isabel Salinger of 4612 Maryland avenue, will be at home Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Ray Salinger of Chicago, who is her guest.

The charity ball which will be given Thursday evening at the Algonquin Club for the benefit of the Welfare Association of Webster Groves, is attracting much interest. It will be a social event of importance, both in the fashionable suburban and town set.

There will be two orchestras for dancing, a supper and everything to make the affair a success.

You, too, will like "The Cleanest Laundry." Colonial Laundry Co.

The Civic League will give a dinner at the Buckingham Hotel Friday night.

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WEEKLY CALENDAR OF SOCIAL EVENTS.

SUNDAY—St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, Pop Concert, Odeon, 3:15 p. m.

MONDAY—Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Faust, Valentine party in honor of Miss Vera Teichmann and Miss Elsa Kraus, 8 Portland place, 9 p. m.

Miss Jessie Stockstrom, bridge party in honor of Miss Vera Teichmann, 3263 Hawthorne boulevard, 2:30 p. m.

Elks Club, Valentine ball, 3617 Lindell boulevard, 9 p. m.

Opening of two weeks' season of opera by San Carlos Grand Opera Company, Odeon, 8:15 p. m.

TUESDAY—Charity ball, Algonquin Golf Club, benefit of Webster Groves Welfare Association.

Woman's Club, The Players will present "Fritschen" and "Mrs. Pat and the Law," 8:30 p. m.

FRIDAY—Mrs. J. D. Livingston, bridge party, 40 Kingsbury place, 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Carrington Cabell, luncheon in honor of Miss Marguerite Deacon, "Sunnymede," Kirkwood, 1:30 p. m.



MURILLO PORTRAIT

MISS LUCILE STRAUSS

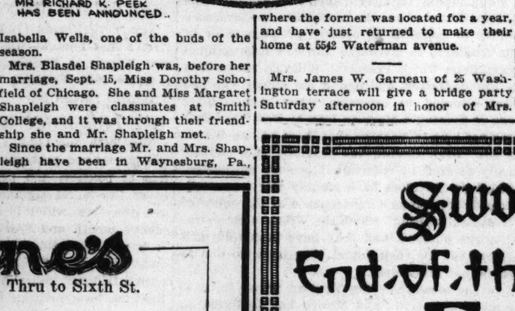
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MISS CAROLINE STORER

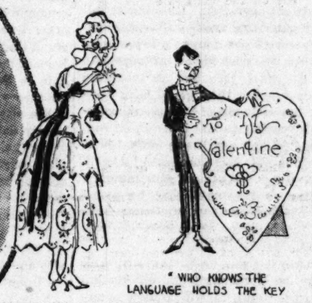
ONE OF THE BELLES WORKING FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE WEBSTER GROVES CHARITY BALL, TUESDAY



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WHOSE ENGAGEMENT TO MR RICHARD K. PEEK HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED.



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This is our final and positive Clearance Sale prices on Furs. Dependable Furs like these are a good buy even for next season.

Scarfs and Muffs

$11.50 Jap Mink Chin Chin Scarf $4.75
$22.50 Jap Mink Barrel Muff $9.75
$15.00 Near Seal Scarfs, fancy models $7.75
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$57.50 Natural Mink Scarf, ... $24.75
$47.50 Natural Mink Scarf, ... $20.00
$65.00 Natural Cross Fox Scarf $32.50
$25.00 White Fox Silk-lined Scarf $10.75
$50.00 White Fox Muff, fancy bed $22.50
$25.00 Black Fox Barrel Muffs $12.50
$40.00 Black Fox Muff, head and tail trimmed .. $20.00
$35.00 Black Fox, double fur animal $17.50
$40.00 Black Fox Scarf, double fur animal .. $20.00
$39.50 American Red Fox Muff $13.75
$25.00 Black Lynx Barrel Muff $10.00
$15.75 Black Lynx Fancy Scarf $8.75

Sets

$32.50 Jap Mink Sets; fancy scarf, barrel muff; set..$13.75
$37.50 Badger Sets; chin chin scarf, barrel muff; set..$10.75
$35 Civet Cat Sets; fancy scarf; set $16.50
$32.50 Sable Squirrel Sets; set $15.75
$115 Blue Fox Sets; animal scarf, muff trimmed head and tail; set $45
$115 Toupe Fox Sets; round muff, head and tail trimmed; double Tur animal; set $53.50
$140 Pointed Toupe Fox Sets; fancy muff; set $65
$135 Sable Fisher Sets; animal scarf and barrel muff; set $67.50

Fur Coats

Only 1—$325 Hudson Seal; 50 inches long; trimmed with blue fox collar and cuffs; warranted solid skins; special..$160.00

Only 1—$147.50 Hudson Seal Coat, trimmed with beaver collar, cuffs and border; warranted solid skins..... $67.50

"Your Choice" of

All Winter Coats

Including plushes and broadcloths; were from $25.00 to $35.00..... $16.95

Swope's

End-of-the-Season Sale

WOMEN should attend promptly as final days of this sale are at hand. All lots have been rearranged—and priced at rock bottom.

Women's $4 and $5 Button Shoes, of black suede and satin. Sizes 2 to 4 only..... 95c

Women's Button and Lace Shoes; formerly $4 to $6; of patent leather and gunmetal, with gray and black cloth tops..... $1.85

Women's Button and Lace Shoes, formerly $5 and $6.50; of black calf and patent leather, with black kid and cloth, and gray and fawn cloth tops; also Women's Velvet Lace Shoes, formerly $7.50..... $2.85

Women's Button and Lace Shoes; formerly $5 to $7; of gunmetal and patent leather, with kid and black cloth tops..... $3.65

$1.45 for Women's Colored Satin Slippers, formerly $4, $5 and $6. Odds and ends; broken sizes.

$2.65 For Women's Bronze and Patent Leather Slippers, formerly $4 to $8; Colored Satin Slippers; white, pink, blue and black Satin Dress Slippers.

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It is simply a case of getting here, to be sure of getting your size in the Coat that is most becoming and richest in material and silk lining.

WHEN every line in the house has been brought to a stage of brilliant bargains, there comes this occasion of supreme reductions, which spells opportunity to the woman who has waited. Tomorrow is the time to act. There's many a cold day, many a storm ahead, and a future season of usefulness for these up-to-the-moment, beautifully tailored coats.

Alterations FREE Continued—Regardless of Reductions

Sale at St. Louis Store

Mrs. Gallagher's Funeral Held.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane B. Gallagher, widow of Joseph P. Gallagher, a former superintendent of the poorhouse, was held yesterday morning from her residence, 2208 North Tenth street, to St. Michael's Church. She died from grip.

Men's Suits $1 DRY-CLEANED Also Medium-Weight Overcoats SAME HIGH-GRADE WORK "Phone Chapman." For 2100 Arsenal St. Sidney 3110-Vic. 2321 For 5004 Delmar, Cab'y 1700-Del. 1575 CHAPMAN BROS. CLOTHES CLEANERS

New Club in Blessed Sacrament Parish.

A new club organized by the workers of the Blessed Sacrament Parish, King's highway and Northland avenue, will meet Wednesday evening in the school hall.

Coffee and Dance Next Sunday.

The North St. Louis Damenchor will give an afternoon coffee and dance next Sunday from 2:30 to 6 p. m., at the Dodier Hall, Twentieth and Dodier streets.

Monday **Garland's** Tomorrow

Smart Spring Dress Fashions

An Elaborate Presentation of the Best, at

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Not just a few "advance" models—not just an aggravating peek at a few "representative" styles, but a magnificent collection of elegant garments—hundreds upon hundreds—unsurpassed in variety and mode distinction, emphasizing the supremacy of Garland's as a fashion center that brings out the new, correct styles FIRST.

Styles for immediate wear—for all occasions—in sunny South or at home. Dainty fabrics and daintier trimmings, quaint drapes and puffings, original bodice and collar effects, fashioned of the popular fabrics most in favor.



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This is an unusual value. Rich taffeta "**De Luxe,**" in all the new street colors. 12 styles, including the new basque back, apron peplum, cape collars, etc. Some have Georgette sleeves, others self sleeves. See the new cuffs, the new belt line effects, skirts that flare, some with ruffles and flounces. All sizes and wonderful value at **$12.50.**

New Spring Coats

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No wonder fashion enthuses over the new Spring Wraps, for they are the smartest in many seasons. Coats of new wool velours, duvetyne; Taffeta Coats with quaint collars and flaring sleeves. "Sports" Coats of checks, Guernsey cloth, glove silk, Cumberland homespuns, etc. Many new colors are shown; leather trimming also. We invite your inspection.

"Sport" Coats

$6.90 $10.90 and $15

Coats in these three particular lots were intended to sell at considerably more than the prices quoted.

Golfine, Corde du Roi, checks, mixtures, wool velours, English twills, in all the high and dark colors and light shades. Individuality rules here, just as it does in the higher class coats.



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$4.95	$9.95	$14.50

Every garment bears our guarantee of quality. All desirable fabrics—including velours, mixtures, sealettes, corduroys, Hindu lynx, duvetynes, zibelines, etc.



New White Chinchilla Coats

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New Spring Waists

We have just received a shipment of 2500 new Spring Waists, which will go on sale Monday morning at special low prices,

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$4.75

These Skirts in the latest models and were made to sell for a great deal more than $4.75. Materials are men's serge, taffeta, checks, wool poplins and chuddah.

SOCIAL EVENTS

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for which anyone interested may reserve a table. Mmes. W. E. Fischel, George C. Hitchcock, Isaac Morton, Charles Nagel and Dwight Tredway will receive the guests.

Charles Nagel, former Secretary of Commerce and Labor, and former Gov. David R. Francis will speak on "The Americanization of the Immigrant."

Both Mr. Nagel and Mr. Francis are members of the National Society for the Welfare of Immigrants.

SEVERAL interesting engagement announcements were made within the past week, among them that of Miss Lucile Strauss to Jesse Wolfort and Miss Rosalind Bry to Harry Eiseman.

Miss Strauss is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Strauss of 5355 Berlin avenue. She is one of the best amateur dancers in St. Louis and has frequently taken part in charity affairs with her brother, Lawrence Strauss, as a dancing partner.

Mr. Wolfort is the son of Mrs. Leonore Wolfort, and is an attorney.

Miss Bry, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bry of 46 Washington terrace, worked for a week as a shopgirl in one of the department stores on a wager, which she won. She is one of the most attractive girls in the Jewish social set.

Mr. Eiseman is the son of Mrs. Simon Eiseman of 4529 Westminster place. The marriage will be in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Steigers of 5156 Von Versen avenue are at the Hotel Royal Poinciana, Palm Beach.

The "Preparedness" dinner dance at the Country Club Wednesday, the first announcement of which was greeted with enthusiasm turned out to be a very quiet party with only about 100 persons present.

The notices were so funny and the wording in French, German, Russian and English so clever that everybody at first thought it a chance for a lot of fun and funnier costumes.

But on second thought, someone suggested it was making fun of a too serious subject and then most everybody's enthusiasm froze.

The seriousness of the subject had never occurred to those who got the affair up and, it is said, they felt terribly embarrassed about it.

Those who went had a good time, and although the party was small it was gay, in spite of the fact that almost all the women went as Red Cross nurses, some Russian, others in the dress of other nations, and some in fancy concoctions, very fetching and becoming.

Miss Mary Downton Jones was lovely in Russian dress, so was Mrs. Harvey G. Mudd whose head and face are classic. Edward C. Dameron was killing as Col. Roosevelt. There were Rough Riders and Boy Scouts, but most all the men were English Tommies. Some one explained one of the costumers had a lot of new red coats so the men just hired them and wore them because it was easy.

Miss Esther Graff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Graff of 4019 Lindell boulevard, has gone with her uncle, Jacob Lampert, for a trip through Florida and Cuba.

Mrs. John M. James, who was formerly Miss Ruth Finkenbiner of St. Louis, has come from Memphis, Tenn., to visit her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stands Finkenbiner of 5620 Clemens avenue.

The Players will present two plays Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club, "Fritschen," by Hermann Sundermann and "Mrs. Pat and the Law," by Mary Aldis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Barret of 4512 West Pine boulevard, are making a trip through Florida and will remain away several weeks.

Among the musical events of the week will be the Cecil Fanning benefit concert, Friday night, at the Wednesday Club auditorium. The proceeds will be devoted to the national scholarship loan fund of the National Federation of Musical Clubs and the Supreme Chapter P. E. O.

The concert will be given under the auspices of the Rubinstein Musical Club and Chapter O. of the P. E. O.

A Valentine party will be given this evening at 7 o'clock, at the home of Miss Sarah Zaichik of 1832 Wash street.

The B'Nai El Young People's Aid Society will give a masquerade ball on the evening of Feb. 24 at Dreamland. There will be cash and other prizes.

Misses Genevieve and Helen Kavanagh of 4260 Evans avenue will give a dance at their home St. Vanentine's night in honor of Miss Jennie Jolley who will marry Edwin Wright of Russell avenue this month.

Mr. and Mrs. William Homeker of Maplewood have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mildred Homeker, to Ralph Traubel of East St. Louis.

The marriage of Miss Charlotte Blow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tunstall Blow, formerly of St. Louis, to Max Hayward took place Thursday in Pasadena where Mr. and Mrs. Blow have resided for several years.

The wedding is of interest here as the bride is a niece of Mrs. Silas Bent Russell, Mrs. Henry B. Miltenberger and Mrs. Douglas W. Robert and has a number of relatives in St. Louis.

Her mother formerly was Miss Clendenin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Kohn of 2857 Dickson street entertained last Sunday in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Miss Mary J. Kohn. Among those present were: Misses Mary Kohn, Freda Getz, Thelma Geishbock, Dorothy Yawitz, Beckie Littman, Anna Brody, Fannie Israel, Frances Schatzman, Sadie and Gertrude Olschwanger, Dorothy

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THE SUITS are splendidly made, of wool poplin, serge, Shepherd and fancy checks and attractive novelty fabrics.

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Values up to $32.50—Now $19.75
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Such prices cannot be offered again, because of the rapid rise in the cost of woolens.



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White Buck Lace Boots With Ivory-White Soles and Heels

TAKE a stroll down Fifth av., New York City, and you will see nothing but white boots—and it is the same in all Eastern fashion centers. The sudden popularity of white footwear has caused a decided scarcity but we have been fortunate in securing a particularly fine lot of these classy shoes which will go on sale tomorrow.

White Shoes that retail at $7.00 in New York—at the ShoeMart for . . **$5.00**



TODAY'S BEAUTY HINT

It is not necessary to shampoo quite so frequently if your hair is properly cleansed each time by use of a really good shampoo. The easiest to use and quickest drying shampoo that we can recommend to our readers may be prepared very cheaply by dissolving a teaspoonful of canthrox, obtained from your druggist, in a cup of hot water. This rubbed into the scalp creates a thick lather, soothing and cooling in its action, as well as very beneficial to scalp and hair. After rinsing, the scalp is fresh and clean, while the hair dries quickly and evenly, developing a bright luster and a soft fluffiness that makes it seem very heavy.—ADV.

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Quick, Painless Way to Remove Hairy Growths.

(Helps to Beauty)

Here is a simple, unfailing way to rid the skin of objectionable hairs: Mix some powdered delatone and water to make enough paste to cover the hairy surface; apply and in about 2 minutes rub off, wash the skin and every trace of hair has vanished. This is quite harmless, but to avoid disappointment be sure you get the delatone in an original package.

Daring Ski Jumper Is Injured.
MADISON, Wis., Feb. 12.—Alex Henderson, daring ski jumper of Chicago, who has thrilled thousands in his career as a somersaulter on skis, is today fighting against amputation of his right leg in a hospital here as the result of an injury suffered yesterday while practicing for the Mount Horeb ski tournament.

ALKALI IN SOAP BAD FOR THE HAIR

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonsful will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.—ADV.



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"Straight Nose, Dent" or Double Dent operations, privately or both. Call or write for booklet. DR. FURSTAPP, FACE SPECIALIST, 304 Pierce Bldg., St. Louis. Hours 10 to 5.

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Feinberg, Rose Meyer, Rose Kaplan, Esther and Gertrude Carnovsky; Messrs. Saul B. Kohn, James Holiner, Sam Schwartz, Charles Kohn, Max Garden, Max Bierman, Morris Appleman, Stanley Israel, Dan Kohn, Maurice Kessler, Maurice Razovsky, Harold Kohn, Louis Kohn, William Wolf and Messrs. and Mmes. D. Kohn, S. Franzel, H. Kohn, F. Milstein, B. Koltun, Charles Kohn, A. Melmed, N. Rosen, M. Kohn, L. Schatsman and S. Kohn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lidstone Jr., of 2194 Clifton avenue, gave a birthday dinner Thursday night to George H. Bisplinghoff, recently a graduate from the Benton School of Law.

Misses Mary Hane and Holliday McCord assisted in receiving guests.

Miss Bertha Heim entertained with a leap year party at her home, 4246 Russell avenue, Feb. 5. Those present were: Misses Juel Thornhill, Madeline Koch, Dorothy Fitzgerald, Nell Higgins, Anna Walsh and Bertha Heim; Messrs. Chas. Price, Lawrence Reed, Dr. Rhea, E. P. Wroughton, Joe Callahan, Fred Reinhardt, Milton Tirre and William Zager. Mmes. and Messrs. Elmer Heil and Frank Tirre.

Mrs. James E. Galewood, 6126 McPherson avenue, will entertain the ladies of the West End Charity Circle Friday.

A meeting of the Margaret A. E. McLure Chapter, U. D. C., was held Monday at the residence of Mrs. Eugene Lewis, 5904 Julian avenue. Mrs. Thomas Browne assisted the hostess. The chapter will give a reception for the members and their friends early in March.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris of 4839 Fountain avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Birdie Harris, to Joseph Reicenstein of 5141 Waterman avenue.

The wedding of Miss Hildegarde Waugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Waugh of 6062 Clemens avenue, and Hugh Stewart Finlayson, will take place Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of the bride.

Miss Mae Donovan of 2246 Holly avenue entertained at five hundred Monday afternoon. There were 12 guests.

The Tuscaroras will celebrate their tenth season with an informal dance at Clendenen's Arcade, on the evening of February 24. To help make arrangements a greater success the following honorary members will assist: Misses Lillian Evans, Mae Callahan, Marie Johnson, Helen Manion, Gertrude Frazier, Marguerite Grable and Helen Egan. Members of the club are Neil Shannahan, Romeo Callahan, Bernard Burger, Will Charller, J. C. Billings, Eugene Snydor and Hillis Parker.

Mrs. O. H. Whitenack, 725 Garden avenue, entertained the Pleasant Hour Club in honor of her birthday Tuesday. Members presented her with a set of hand-painted plates.

A dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. L. Spitzburg of 4306 Manchester avenue Sunday evening in honor of Miss Blanche Seidel, whose engagement to Mack Stein was recently announced. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Sharp, Max Goldman, Samuel Stein; Messrs. Harold K. Spitzburg, David Stein, Oscar Stein, Jacob Spitzburg.

The Norsicon Club will give its second informal dance of the season at Clendenen's Academy, Wednesday evening. The hostesses will be the Misses Celestine Cirode, Anna Shampaign, Pauline Segel, Clara Schneweiss and Macie Schreiber. The club members are Messrs. Ralph Ewing, Elmer Goetz, John Nelson, Earl Wilmas, Lawrence Schleusner, John Forshaw, Otto Meyer, Lon Price, Oswald Welge and Mercer Threadgill.

The Jovial Paupers announce their first informal dance for March 2, at Clendenen's Academy. Members are G. J. Lake, P. R. Herbig, F. A. Drees, L. A. Hillner, A. F. Diedericks, G. J. Hammann and A. A. Hillner.

A "500" party was given last Sunday by Miss Jennie Goldstein of 6145 Berlin avenue. The following young people were present: Misses Jennie Goldstein, Edna Pelz, Dena Block, Molly Gollub, Corynn Wolf, Bess Eisner, Miriam Schwimmer, Esther Eisner; Messrs. Emanuel Werner, Michael Barken, Leo Zeltner, Mort Pelz, Milton Tucker, Isidor Gad, Dan Wolf and Sam Stein.

Miss Marguerite Detling, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Detling, 4442A Virginia avenue, entertained a number of her friends Sunday afternoon in honor of her seventeenth birthday. Those present were: Misses Marguerite Detling, Rebecca Detling, Elizabeth Detling, Margaret Duffy, Florence Reininger, Clara Hartmann, Anna Banahan, Anna O'Brien, Clara Arensmeyer, Catherine Duffy, Rose Grillner, Bernadetta Fox; Messrs. Russell R. Smith, U. S. N.; Ben L. Schultz, U. S. N.; Pierce Martini, Keenan Marcus, Court Stewart, Douglas Hamilton, Roy Peterson, Jack Campbell, Edward Reininger, Jack Meyer, Oscar Garrison, Ray Catlin, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Detling, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Campbell Jr.

The Chanticleer Country Club held its regular monthly meeting at the clubhouse on the Meramec River, near Valley Park last Sunday afternoon. Arrangements were completed for the annual spring opening next month, as well as a program of events for the coming river season. The members are: George McSkimming, Marion Dunn, Meinrad Stuppy, Carl Corcoran, Al Brandt, Louis E. Steiner, Arthur Brandt, Hugh Corcoran, Jack Ross, Harold Fitzroy, Mart Jenkins, John Moore, Jack Walsh and George Erlinger.

A dance was given at the Liederkranz Club Thursday evening in honor of Prof.

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New Officers for Hotel Clerks.
The St. Louis Hotel Clerks' Association last week elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Charles G. Swinney, Majestic Hotel; secretary, Edward J. Hennessy, Buckingham Hotel; treasurer, John R. Parcell, Terminal Hotel; chairman of the board of governors, Edward Hennelly, Hotel Jefferson.

Doctor Killed by a Train.
VALPARAISO, Ind., Feb. 12.—Dr. J. R. Wilson of Hebron was killed today by a train west of that place when on his way to see a patient.

Entertainment at St. Leo's Hall.
At an entertainment to be given by the Blessed Sacrament Council of the Knights of Father Mathew, at St. Leo's Hall, Twenty-fifth and Mullanphy streets, Wednesday evening, the Toy Theater Players of the Morse School of Expression will be featured in two one-act comedies.

A Note From Our Manager
Having just returned from New York, bringing with me the choicest collection of Spring garments ever purchased in my many years of ready-to-wear business. Pearl gray seems to be the predominating color in the East, but Delph blue, rose and various shades of green are also popular; flesh and white, too, are in favor.
Taffeta is the most favored frock material combined with Georgette crepe. There is a tendency to the quaint old Quaker effects, but still, the overdraped skirts are worn, which gives a slender appearance to My Lady's waist without inconvenience.
WM Sternberg

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It is of Georgette conception that falls daintily over China silk and is trimmed with taffeta. The colors—reseda, pearl gray, coral and navy.

There are other beautiful dresses of taffeta and combinations of taffeta, Georgette crepe, crepe de chine, etc., in all the gorgeous colors of Spring.

Every new style feature is reflected in these dresses—the over-draped skirt—quaint old Quaker models and the pretty cascade effect that is so popular these days. MILFORD'S sell these beautiful garments at

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NOTICE—All remaining winter garments are being sacrificed regardless of cost—see our east window if you are interested in practical economy.

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Gray Kid Boots



$5 Values
$3.95
Of genuine light pearl gray kid, new boot height of 8 inches, Spanish "Louis" leather heels; all sizes from 2½ to 8, widths B to E.
With gray covered heels
Suede at $5
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DULL KID BOOTS
Button or Lace
600 pair new 9-inch pattern just received.....
$3

OUR CELEBRATED
Comfort Shoes
Popularly Termed NURSE SHOES



Softest vici kid stock, with very flexible, hand-turned soles, cushion inner soles and common-sense rubber or leather heels; choice of 4 styles, plain toe or tip, in button or lace; all sizes and widths from 3 to 9, B to EE. These Shoes positively have no equal under $3 or $3.50. Our price,
$2.75

The New in Hats



Not an approved fashion for the season will be found lacking. Every conceivable character of style, material, trimming and shading—and Sensenbrenner prices are conceded lowest in St. Louis.
Special—
62 beautiful flower and ribbon trimmed Spring Models —for Monday.... **$4.95**
(Second Floor.)

Spring Dress Sale



Values that cannot be duplicated **$9.65**
Very newest fashions, splendidly made of excellent quality crepe de chine, crepe meteor and taffeta—at but a fraction of their customary pricing elsewhere. A dozen charming models—500 Frocks to choose from—all sizes.

Fine Satin and Wool Poplin Skirts
$2.95

COATS UP TO $25
Winter stock reduced below cost for immediate clearance. Attractive models of silk corduroy, boucle, zibeline, striped plush, and many fur collar effects..... **$4.65**

Choice of Any
CHILD'S COAT
In the House
Values up to $10—all go in one big lot tomorrow at..... **$1.50**
Come early—they won't last long at this price.

Closing Out
ALL FURS
Must Go at Once
Our finest Furs, in sets or separate Muffs and Scarfs — all go for prices as low as..... **$1**

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Attention—"Stout Women"
WE SPECIALIZE IN EXTRA LARGE SIZE GARMENTS
"Stout women"—who wear extra large sizes up to 56-inch bust—see our wonderful selection of new **Spring Coats, Suits, Skirts, Dresses, Waists, etc.** We guarantee a "perfect fit." Our styles are designed by skilled workmen who have made a life study of "large size" garments—and we have an almost endless array of modes for your choosing. Our prices are exceptionally low—considering the quality and style we put in these garments—see them tomorrow.

"We Give Just What Is Advertised."

$13.75, $15 and $17.50 "Sample"
SPRING SUITS
Nearly 400 Suits to Choose From—
Over 60 Different Styles—



Handsome serges — Shepherd checks—English mixtures — silk poplins, etc. — all beautifully made—many silk lined, others designed with fancy trimmings now all the "rage."—Being "samples," there is a wonderful assortment of styles to choose from at..... **$7.50**
On sale tomorrow, Monday, only.

Designers' Models
"SAMPLE" SUITS
DISTINCTIVE STYLES—WORTH UP TO $24.75 **$12.50**
EXQUISITE serge and taffeta combines—fancy wool poplins—black and white checks—and numerous other expensive materials—aristocratic styles—all "samples," only one or two of each model—they should all go Monday at $12.50.

ALL WINTER SUITS
REMAINING FROM LAST SEASON—VALUES TO $19.75
ALL-WOOL Serges, Poplins, Gabardines, Broadcloths, etc.—many silk lined—some fur trimmed—all colors—to close out at once—we offer choice of 500 suits at..... **$3.50**

This All-Wool Poplin SUIT Exactly as Illustrated, $12.50

This Serge and Taffeta Combination SUIT exactly as shown, $12.50

Over 400 New "Sample"
SPRING COATS
The Majority Are Worth $12.50, $15, $16.50 and $17.50—All on Sale at
GENUINE WHITE WORUMBO CHINCHILLA—
SPRING CORDUROYS—
FINE DUVETYNES—
NOVELTY PLAIDS—
SHEPHERD CHECKS—
SERGES & GABARDINES—
$6
FASHION'S latest style dictates—full flare backs—fancy belts—patch pockets, etc.—all handsomely trimmed with leather and satin fancies—some silk lined—all new Spring shades—sizes for misses, women and extra large size women—Monday should be a busy day in our Coat Dept., so come early.



"We Give Just What Is Advertised."

Final Clearance of
WINTER COATS
Values to $22.50 go at
$2 & $4
PLUSHES, Velours, Velvets, Corduroys, Zibelines, etc.—hundreds of Coats to choose from—all handsome styles—to close out every single garment, we have cut them to $2 and $4—for tomorrow, Monday only.
Sale on Second Floor.

This COAT Exactly as illustrated, **$6.00**

Over 1000 Spring
SKIRTS
$5, $6, $7.50 and $8 Values—on Sale Monday at
$3.98



This Skirt, $5.98

THE new "Cascade and Pannier" drapes—with yokes, belts, "Chaplin" pockets, etc.—all sizes up to 40 waist—in this sensational sale at $5.98.



This Skirt $5.98

MONDAY BARGAINS

$4 BLACK **SILK WAISTS**
A sale of Taffeta Waists just for those in mourning. Monday you have choice of over 300 Waists at..... **$1**

$1.98 NEW **LINGERIE WAISTS**
Fresh in their original tissue papers—just opened for Monday's sale—dozens of new Spring styles at.. **$1.35**

EXTRAORDINARY!! **PETTICOATS**
VALUES UP TO $1.98
Bright colors—not to be seen elsewhere on account of the dye scarcity—sale tomorrow only.
20c, 50c and 75c

EXTRA SIZE **HOUSE DRESSES**
"Stout" women don't miss this opportunity—Dresses in sizes up to 55—Monday only, at... **85c**

AMOSKEAG GINGHAM **Bungalow Aprons**
In blue only—real $1 qualities—while 15 dozen last, Monday, to crowd our store, we offer them at..... **45c**

REGULAR $1 **GINGHAM DRESSES**
In blue, brown, pink, green and tan plaids—also plain chambrays—in all colors—sale—Monday only..... **65c**

NEW TAFFETA
SILK DRESSES



$12.50, $15, $16.50 and $17.50 NEW SPRING "SAMPLES" **$6.98**
NO matter what your idea of a Spring Dress may be—you are sure to find just what you want amongst these "samples." Included in this sale are new silk poplins, Spring serges, silk Crepe de Chines, messalines and charmeuse silks—bewitching styles in street and evening shades—be sure to see them tomorrow at $6.98.

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Invite inspection of their extensive collections of

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Included are latest style expressions from leading couturiers of Paris and New York. Originals and faithful copies selling at a fraction their price.

Included are exclusive modes in daytime and evening

Suits
Coats
Dresses
Waists

The Great Prestige of Our Custom Corset Department

We feel has been further increased by the recent purchase of Miss Elizabeth Schwarz' good will and complete patterns.

Miss Schwarz, long and favorably known in St. Louis, now joins us in telling her former patrons that their individual patterns will hereafter be found at our shop, and that their needs and preferences will receive experienced attention.

Besides the convenience of a store located in the heart of the shopping district, we offer the most complete custom service.

Special attention given to post-operative Corset requirements.

Barry's Locust Street, West of Seventh.

Crochet with Klostersilk



Easy-to-follow-Instructions—Free

Use Klostersilk for all kinds of crocheting and embroidering—the perfect twist of the thread makes it impossible for Klostersilk pieces to shrink or pull out of shape—after many launderings they retain their brilliant lustre and remain as beautiful as new.

Present this advertisement to your dealer and get absolutely free "20 Klostersilk Crochet Instructions."

If he does not happen to sell Klostersilk, send his name and three 2c stamps for the 20 Instructions.



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Crochet and Embroidery Cottons
"White that stays white—colors that last"

For Cold in the Head, Try Geraldine Av. Lady's Advice

Mrs. Rosa Patterson, 2444 Geraldine Avenue, Tried "Vap-O-Rub" and Found It Grand."

Mrs. Patterson is one of the many St. Louis mothers who last winter used the new Southern "external" treatment, Vick's "Vap-O-Rub" Salve, and found it better for cold troubles than internal medicines. Mrs. Patterson tried a jar from Johnson-Enderle-Pauley, and now says: "I do not hesitate to recommend Vick's to everyone."

Intelligent people everywhere know that the less internal medicine you take the better for your digestion, and this is especially true of children. The ideal treatment for head colds, chest colds, sore throat, bronchitis; or croup, is a good rub at night with Vick's "Vap-O-Rub" Salve. Then cover with a warm flannel cloth and leave the clothing loose around the neck, so that the vapors released by the heat of the body can be inhaled all night long. The next morning the head is clear, and soreness gone from the chest.

In addition, the penetrative quality of Vick's makes it a splendid family salve for burns, bruises, stings, piles, itchings, sprains and soreness of the muscles. In three sizes, 25c, 50c and $1.00. At all druggists.—ADV.

VICK'S "VAPORUB" SALVE

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John B. Reno, of the St. Louis University, and Mrs. Reno. The University boys were present and participated in the largest dance given by the Law Department in years.

Miss Natalie Sutherland Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ross of Webster Groves, was the guest of honor at a St. Valentine dance given Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lewis at their home in Webster Groves. The decorations resembled a flower garden, and heart-shaped favors blended with the color scheme. The following were present: Misses Mary Morton, Katherine Beck, Ruth Burgess, Teddy Hodgdon, Mary Moffitt, Emily Kauffman, Theada Gray, Vivian Bright, Stephanie Jarvis, Comfort Vegeley, Evangeline Lowther, Lola Hayhurst, Corrine Lueking, Natalie Ross; Messrs. Guy Lewis, Merritt Williams, Thomas Hurley, Walker Langan, William Obear Jr., Aristotle Jannopoulo, Herbert Burgess, Allen Lincoln, Edmond Perry, Farron Booth, William Lowther Jr., Duncan Everett, David Skilling Jr., Gordon Meier, Harris Armstrong, Randolph McCartney and Procter Wright.

A surprise party was given Miss Estelle Schleeter at her home, 1939 Montgomery street, Feb. 5, by members of the Salem's Evangelical Church choir. Those present were: Misses Agnes Arling, Ethel Brandt, Florence Kaffenburger, Elenore Manske, Anna Oberheide, Lee Paulson, Margaret Roth, Marie Rump, Martha Sidler and Estelle Schleeter; Messrs. Louis Ahlers, Lucas Limburg, Ed Mesle, Louis Mesle, Armin Rump and Walter Manske; Mrs. Mesle and Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Schleeter.

St. John's Church, Sixteenth and Chestnut streets, will give a euchre and tacky party Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the church, Mrs. Hemberger and Miss Howard have charge of the arrangements.

The Elvira Girls will give their second informal at Clendenen's, Feb. 22. The members are: Misses Nell Murray, Mabel Dailey, Helen Meglitsch, Anna Shampaign, Wyona Crowl, Marie Dieselkamp, Emma Birkenmeier, Delia Cool.

Several St. Louis friends of Father C. Hornsey, formerly of St. Teresa's Church, will entertain with a euchre and dance at St. Mark's Hall, on the evening of March 6, for the benefit of Holy Cross Church, Cuba, Mo. Some handsome prizes have been secured.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solomon of 5715 Easton avenue celebrated their crystal anniversary last Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hartman of 5507 Wells avenue.

Miss Mabel Mason of 1349 Aubert avenue entertained the High School Girls' Literary Alumnae Society, Feb. 5. Miss Isabelle Cunningham told the story of "The Claw," by Cynthia Stockly. The March meeting will be held at the home of Miss Lucille Hall.

"Our Club" was entertained at the home of Miss Ella Heins, 1309 South Newstead avenue, last Sunday evening.

A Valentine party was given by Misses Bertha Schleier and Frances Todebush at 2521 West Dodier street, on Feb. 5. Those present were: Misses Bertha Schleier, Frances Todebush, Beatrice McDaniel, Victoria Mueller, Ida Schleier, Melba Kralemann, Buehla S[illegible], Louise Vidot, Caroline Helfinger, A. Zinmuhlen; Messrs. William Schleier, A. T. Malone, Monroe Brewer, V. E. Soehulin, Harry H. Eschenroeder, Ennis H. St. Cyr, Walter Krafft, F. O. Bittner Jr., Charles B. Sutterer, R. W. Taylor, Harry Loesche, Leland B. Gray and H. T. Slater.

The Eustella Girls will entertain with an informal dance on the evening of Feb. 23, at Kleekamp's Hall, 3121 South Grand avenue.

The Burgoyes entertained with a Valentine party last evening at the home of Miss Rose Hameister, 4153 Morgan street. The hostesses were: Misses Rose Hameister, Alice McNulty, Gladys Luther, Mary Gausert, Carmen Kenne, Elsie Roberts, Elizabeth Falk, Bessie Landers, Mary Moran and Alma Fettig.

The guests were: Messrs. Louis Pancock, Marshall Stevens, Phil Fable, Fred Lipscomb, Walter Workman, Herman Darns, Ambrose Siekes, Henry Hassett, Joseph Mitchell and John Malloy.

The Hercules Club will give their first informal dance at Kleekamp's Hall, 3121 South Grand avenue, Feb. 25. The hostesses will be the Charlton Girls, Misses Norma Shelley, Edna Lippert, Della Shelley, Marie Sheiley, Annetta Buschmueller, Loretta Monaghan. Members of the Hercules are, William Buschmueller, Harry Sigg, Fred Klopfert, Alex Lang, Michael Sheliey, Albert Seimeyer.

The Missouri Society, Daughters of 1812, will meet at the Jefferson Memorial Building, Feb. 17, at 2 p. m. John B. Denvir Jr. of the National Security League will give an address on "Our Defenses." Mrs. Theodore Shelton will preside. Members of patriotic societies are invited.

The Confederate Dames Chapter, U. D. C., will meet at the residence of Mrs. C. D. Johnson, 6237 McPherson avenue, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Robert Burns will be assisting hostess.

The Bachelor Girls will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Leotine Mulligan, 4947 Cote Brilliante avenue. The members are Miss Helen M. O'Malley, Anna C. Bressard, Ella O'Connor, Agnes Foley, Rita McKenna, Babe Mulligan, Lillian Powers.

A surprise party was given in honor of Miss Elizabeth Aufmuth, Feb. 5, at her home, 4104 Oregon avenue. Among those present were the Misses Nellie Fitzgerald, Alvera Rummenie, Mayme Fitzgerald, Dorothy Dreibuss, Ruth Zinke, Emma Zahnweh, Selma Zinke, Alma Aufmuth, Elizabeth Aufmuth; Messrs. Cletus Ohmes, Will Engelmeyer, Albert Prebourg, Joe Engelmeyer, Victor Williams, Erwin Wehlman, Will Kampman, Frank Baier, Gus Peters; Mr. and Mrs. C. Sunder, Mr. and Mrs. Aufmuth.

12c OaKes Delicious Coffee Cake, 12c. OaKes Peanut Bar 17c lb. 512 Locust.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETY OFFICERS

Enrico Zerbarini President of Italian Organization for 1916.

Officers of the Italian Benevolent Society for 1916 are Enrico Zerbarini, president; Gennaro Cepparulo, first vice president; Pellegrino Guarspari, second vice president; Attilto Balducci and Orazio G. Pieri, secretaries, and Herman J. Pieri, treasurer.

The annual financial statement of the society shows that $1113 have been paid out to members for sick benefits and $600 for death benefits. A donation to Le Lega Italiana is listed at $50 and another to the Italian Red Cross at a like sum. Receipts for 1915 total $5,768.23 and expenses $4943.80.

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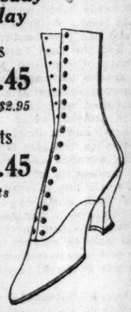


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Answer: I suggest that you get 2½ oz. essence mentho-laxene and mix with one pint simple sugar syrup or honey. There is no better treatment for coughs and colds than just this preparation. It breaks up a cold, soothes and heals the membranous tissues, and as it acts as a laxative it aids in throwing out of the system the cold inflammation.

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"Ill" writes: "How may I regain my weight and strength? I'm so weak and thin I should weigh forty-five pounds more."

Answer: You will find just the proper tonic and flesh builder you require by using regularly three-grain hypo-nuclane tablets. They build up strength, health and flesh. I have prescribed them many times and they are highly recommended.

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"Ailing" writes: "I have been suffering with a breaking out of little ulcers over my body and in my throat and mouth. My scalp seems affected and my hair comes out. I am feverish and restless and very much annoyed over my condition."

Answer: You are the victim of vitiated blood. The skin and membranous eruptions indicate this condition, also the fever and failing hair. You should be able to gradually cleanse the blood and system with the use of Elixir Chin-cea compound. This is the greatest disease and poison alterative you could secure, and it has given satisfaction to thousands of patients. Sold in eight-ounce bottles with full directions.

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"Niagara" writes: "My mind seems to be getting weak and and my whole system seems to be losing strength fast. Please suggest something I may take to relieve this depressed condition, and restore to my system new life and energy and ambition. I feel 20 years older than I am."

Answer: Your nerve cells and tissue cells have not been receiving proper nutrition from the blood. Practice regular habits of living and take three grain cacodmens tablets to invigorate the system. They should soon improve your condition.

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"Mary" writes: "Please tell me what I can do to get rid of this tired feeling. My mother says my blood is in bad condition."

Answer: If you have bad blood, you need a good system cleanser, blood purifier and tonic. Such you will find in three grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur). Constipation, headache, dark, sallow skin, coated tongue, nervousness and sleeplessness and a tired out feeling are symptoms of impure blood.

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"T. O." asks: "What may I do for rheumatism? I have pains constantly all over my body and have had for years. My joints swell and I am almost a cripple."

Answer: You will find no better treatment for rheumatism than the following: 2 drams of iodide of potassium, 4 drams sodium salicylate, ½ oz. wine of colchicum, 1 oz. comp. essence cardiol, 1 oz. comp. fluid balmwort, and 5 oz. of syrup sarsaparilla comp. Mix and take a teaspoonful at meal times and before going to bed. This mixture has been the most successful treatment I have ever known in all my varied experience.

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"W. C. L." asks: "Will you please tell me what to take for kidney trouble? I have constant headache, chills and fever. My feet swell and my complexion is terribly muddy looking, and I have rings under my eyes. I have pains in my back all the time. I am afraid of Bright's disease."

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dashed forward at once, crossed our own barbed wire on the planks, and were into the craters before the whole of the debris had fallen. Total casualties: 11 killed and 74 wounded; Turkish killed, 100.

By the time this action was fought a large proportion of my reinforcements had arrived, and, on the same principle which induced me to put Gen. Stopford in temporary command at Helles, I relieved the war-worn Twenty-ninth Division under Major-General Shaw. The experiences here gained, in looking after themselves, in forgetting the thousand and one details of peace soldiering and in grasping the two or three elementary rules of conduct in war soldiering, were, it turned out, to be of priceless advantage to the Thirteenth Division throughout the heavy fighting of the following month.

The Great Venture.

And now it was time to determine a date for the great venture. The moon would rise on the morning of the seventh about 3 a. m. A day or two previously the last reinforcements, the Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth Divisions, were due to arrive. The first day of the attack was fixed for Aug. 6.

Once the date was decided a certain amount of ingenuity had to be called into play so as to divert the attention of the enemy from my main strategical conception. This—I repeat for the sake of clearness—was:

1. To break out with a rush from Anzac and cut off the bulk of the Turkish army from land communication with Constantinople.

2. To gain such a command for my artillery as to cut off the bulk of the Turkish army from sea traffic, whether with Constantinople or with Asia.

3. Incidentally, to secure Suvla Bay as a winter base for Anzac and all the troops operating in the northern theater.

My schemes for hoodwinking the Turks fell under two heads: First, strategical diversions, meant to draw away enemy reserves not yet committed to the peninsula. Secondly, tactical diversions meant to hold up enemy reserves already on the peninsula. Under the first heading came a surprise landing by a force of 300 men on the northern shore of the Gulf of Xeros; demonstrations by French ships opposite Mitylene along the Syrian coast; concentration at Mitylene; inspections at Mitylene by the Admiral and myself; making to order of a whole set of maps of Asia in Egypt, as well as secret service work, most of which bore fruit. Amongst the tactical diversions were a big containing attack at Helles. Soundings, registration of guns, etc., by monitors between Gaba Tepe and Kum Tepe.

An attack to be carried out by Anzac on Lone Pine trenches, which lay in front of their right wing and as far distant as the local terrain would admit from the scene of the real battle. Thanks entirely to the reality and vigor which the navy and the troops threw into them, each one of these ruses was, it so turned out, entirely successful, with the result that the Turks, despite their excellent spy system, were caught completely off their guard at dawn on Aug. 7.

Having settled upon the manner and time of the diversions, orders had to be issued for the main operation. And here I must pause a moment to draw your Lordship's attention to the extraordinary complexity of the staff work caused by the unique distribution of my forces. Within the narrow confines of the positions I held on the peninsula it was impossible to concentrate even as much as one-third of the fresh troops about to be launched to the attack. Nor could Mudros and Imbros combined absorb the whole of the remainder. The strategic concentration which precedes a normal battle had in my case to be a very wide dispersion. Thus, of the forces destined for my offensive, on the day before the battle, part were at Anzac, part at Imbros, part at Mudros and part at Mitylene. These last three detachments were separated respectively by 14, 16 and 120 miles of sea from the arena into which they were simultaneously to appear.

"A Prodigious Undertaking."

To insure the punctual arrival of all those masses of inexperienced troops at the right moment and spot, together with their material, munitions, stores, supplies, water, animals and vehicles, was a prodigious undertaking, demanding not only competence, but self-confidence; and I will say for my general staff that I believe the clearness and completeness of their orders for this concentration and landing will hereafter be studied as models in military academies. The need for economy in sea transport, the awkwardness and restriction of open beaches, the impossibility of landing guns, animals or vehicles rapidly—all these made it essential to create a special, separate organisation for every single unit taking part in the adventure. A pack mule corps to supply 20,000 men had also to be organized for that specific purpose until such time as other transport could be landed.

As to water, that element of itself was responsible for a whole chapter of preparations. An enormous quantity had to be collected secretly, and as secretly stowed away at Anzac, where a high-level reservoir had to be built, having a holding capacity of 30,000 gallons, and fitted out with a regular system of pipes and distribution tanks. A stationary engine was brought over from Egypt to fill that reservoir. Petroleum tins, with a carrying capacity of 30,000 gallons, were got together and fixed up with handles, etc., but the collision of the Moorgate with another vessel delayed the arrival of large numbers of these just as the breakdown in the stationary engine upset for a while the well-laid plan of the high-level reservoir. But Anzac was ever resourceful in face of misadventures, and when the inevitable accidents arose it was not with folded hands that they were met.

Turning to Suvla Bay.

It was believed that good wells and springs existed both in the Biyuk, Anafarta Valley and in Suvla Plain. But nothing so vital could possibly be left to hearsay, and although, as it turned out, our information was perfectly correct, yet the War Office was asked to dispatch with each reinforcing division water receptacles for pack transport at the rate of half a gallon per man.

The sheet-anchor on which hung the whole of these elaborate schemes was the navy. One tiny flaw in the perfect mutual trust and confidence animating the two services would have wrecked the whole enterprise. Experts at a distance may have guessed as much; it was self-evident to the rawest private on the spot. But with men like Vice Admiral de Robeck, Commodore Roger Keyes, Rear Admiral Christian and Capt. F. H. Mitchell at our backs, we soldiers were secured against any such risk, and it will be seen how perfect was the precision the sailors put into their job.

The hour was now approaching, and I waited for it with as much confidence as is possible when to the inevitable uncertainties of war are to be added those of the weather. Apart from feints, the first blow was to be dealt in the southern zone.

Concerted Attack.

In that theater I had my own Poste de Commandment. But upon Aug. 6 attacks in the south were only to form a subsidiary part of one great concerted attack. Anzac was to deliver the knock-down blow; Helles and Suvla were complementary operations. Were I to commit myself at the outset to any one of these three theaters I must lose my sense of proportion. Worse, there being no lateral communication between them, as soon as I landed at one I was cut off from present touch with both of the others. At Imbros I was 45 minutes from Helles, 40 minutes from Anzac and 50 minutes from Suvla. Imbros was the center of the cable system, and thence I could follow each phase of the triple attack and be ready with my two divisions of reserve to throw in reinforcement where they seemed most to be required. Therefore I decided to follow the opening moves from general headquarters.

At Helles the attack of the Sixth was directed against 1200 yards of the Turkish front opposite our own right and right center, and was to be carried out by the Eighty-eighth Brigade of the Twenty-ninth Division. Two small Turkish trenches enfilading the main advance had, if possible, to be captured simultaneously, an affair which was entrusted to the Forty-second Division.

After bombardment the infantry assaulted at 3:50 p. m. On the left large sections of the enemy's line were carried, but on our center and right the Turks were encountered in masses, and the attack, pluckily and perseveringly as it was pressed, never had any real success. The First Battalion Essex Regiment, in particular, forced their way into the crowded enemy trench opposite it, but despite the most determined resistance, but, once in, were subjected to the heaviest musketry fire from both flanks as well as in reverse, and was shattered by showers of bombs. Two separate resolute attacks were made by the Forty-second Division, but both of them recoiled in face of the unexpected volume of fire developed by the Turks.

Nothing Was Gained.

After dark officers' patrols were sent up to ascertain the exact position of affairs. Heavy Turkish counter-attacks were being pressed against such portions of the line we still retained. Many of our men fought it out where they stood to the last, but by nightfall none of the enemy's line remained in our possession.

Our setback was in no wise the fault of the troops. That ardor which only dashed itself to pieces against the enemy's strong entrenchments and numerous stubborn defenders on Aug. 6 would, a month earlier, have achieved notable success. Such was the opinion of all. But the morale, as well as the strength of the Turks, had had time to rise to great heights since our last serious encounters with them on June 21 and 28 and July 21. On those dates all ranks had felt, as an army feels, instinctively, yet with certitude, that they had fairly got the upper hand of the enemy, and that, given the wherewithal, they could have gone on steadily advancing. Now that self-same, half-beaten enemy were again making as stout a resistance as they had offered us at our original landing!

For this recovery of the Turks there were three reasons: One moral, one material and one fortuitous.

1. The news of the enemy's advance on the eastern front had come to hand and had been advertised to us on posters from the Turkish trenches before we heard about it from home.

2. The new division had come down south to Helles to replace those we had most severely handled.

3. The enemy trenches selected for our attack were found to be packed with troops and so were their communication trenches, the reason being, as explained to us by prisoners, that the Turkish commander had meant to launch from them an attack upon us. We had, in fact, by coincidence as strange as it was unlucky, anticipated a Turkish offensive by an hour or two at most!

Sure enough, next morning, the enemy in their turn attacked the left of the line from which our own troops had advanced to the assault. A few of them gained a footing in our trenches, and were all killed or captured. The remainder were driven back by fire.

Enemy Full of Fight.

As the aim of my action in this southern zone was to advance if I could, but in any case to contain the enemy and prevent him reinforcing to the northwards, I persevered on the seventh with my plans, notwithstanding the counter attack of the Turks, which was actually in progress. My objective this time was a double line of Turkish trenches on a front of about 800 yards between the Mal Tepe Dere and the west branch of the Kanli Dere. After a preliminary bombardment the troops of the 125th Brigade on the right and the 129th on the left made the assault at 9:40 a. m. From the outset it was evident that the enemy were full of fight and in great force, and that success would only be gained after a severe struggle. On the right and on the center the first enemy line was captured, and small parties pushed on to the second line, where they were unable to maintain themselves for long. On the left but little ground was gained, and by 11 a. m. what little had been taken had been relinquished. But in the center a stiff battle raged all day up and down a vineyard some 200 yards long by 100 yards broad on the west of the Krithia road. A large portion of the vineyard had been captured in the first dash, and the East Lancashire men in this part of the field gallantly stood their ground here against a succession of vigorous counter attacks. The enemy suffered very severely in these counter attacks, which were launched in strength and at short intervals. Both our brigades had also lost heavily during the advance and in repelling the fierce onslaughts of the enemy, but, owing to the fine endurance of the Sixth and Seventh Battalions of the Lancashire Fusiliers, it was found possible to hold the vineyard through the night, and a massive column of the enemy which strove to overwhelm their thinned ranks was shattered to pieces in the attempt.

On Aug. 8 Lieutenant-General Sir F. J. Davies took over command of the Eighth Army Corps, and Major-General W. Douglas reverted to the command of the Forty-second Division. For two more days his troops were called upon to show their qualities of vigilance and power of determined resistance, for the enemy had by no means yet lost hope of wresting from us the ground we had won in the vineyard. This unceasing struggle was a supreme test for battalions already exhausted by 48 hours' desperate fighting and weakened by the loss of so many good leaders and men, but the peculiar grit of the Lancastrians was equal to the strain, and they did not fail. Two specially furious counter-attacks were delivered by the Turks on Aug. 8, one at 4:40 a. m., and another at 8:30 p. m., where again our bayonets were too much for them.

Throughout the night they made continuous bomb attacks, but the Sixth Lancashire Fusiliers and the Fourth East Lancashire Regiment stuck gamely to their task at the eastern corner of the vineyard. There was desperate fighting also at the northern corner, where the personal bravery of Lieut. W. T. Forshaw, Nineteenth Manchester Regiment, who stuck to his post after his detachment had been relieved (an act for which he has since been awarded the V. C.), was largely instrumental in the repulse of three very determined onslaughts.

A Useful Advance.

By the morning of Aug. 9 things were quieter and the sorely-tried troops were relieved. On the night of Aug. 12-13, the enemy made one more sudden, desperate dash for their vineyard—and got it! But, on the 13th, our bombers took the matter in hand. The Turks were finally driven out; the new fire trenches were wired and loopholed and have since become part of our line.

These two attacks had served their main purpose. If the local successes were not all that had been hoped for, yet a useful advance had been achieved, and not only had they given a fresh, hard-fighting enemy more than he had bargained for, but they had actually drawn down Turkish reinforcements to their area. And how can a commander say enough for the troops who, aware that their task was only a subsidiary one, fought with just as much vim and resolution as if they were storming the battlements of Constantinople?

I will now proceed to tell of the assault on Chunuk Bair by the forces under Gen. Birdwood, and of the landing of the Ninth Corps in the neighborhood of Suvla Bay. The entire details of the operations allotted to the troops to be employed in the Anzac area were formulated by Lieutenant-General Birdwood, subject only to my final approval. So excellently was this vital business worked out on the lines of the instructions issued that I had no modifications to suggest, and all these local preparations were completed by Aug. 6 in a way which reflects the greatest credit not only on the corps commander and his staff, but also upon the troops themselves, who had to toil like slaves to accumulate food, drink and munitions of war. Alone the accommodation for the extra troops to be landed necessitated an immense amount of work in preparing new concealed bivouacs, in making interior communications and in storing water and supplies, for I was determined to put on shore as many fighting men as our modest holding at Anzac could possibly accommodate or provision. All the work was done by Australian and New Zealand soldiers almost entirely by night, and the uncomplaining efforts of these much-tried troops in preparation are in a sense as much to their credit as their heroism in the battles that followed. Above all, the water problem caused anxiety to the Admiral, to Lieutenant-General Birdwood and myself. The troops to advance from Suvla Bay across the Anafarta Valley might reckon on finding some wells—it was certain, at least, that no water was waiting for us on the crests of the ridges of Sari Bair! Therefore, first, several days' supply had to be stocked into tanks along the beach and thence pumped up into other tanks halfway up the mountains; secondly, a system of mule transport had to be worked out, so that in so far as was humanly possible, thirst should not be allowed to overcome the troops after they had overcome the difficulties of the country and the resistance of the enemy.

On the nights of Aug. 4, 5 and 6 the reinforcing troops were shipped into Anzac very silently at the darkest hours. Then, still silently, they were tucked away from enemy aeroplanes or observatories in their prepared hiding places. The whole sea route lay open to the view of the Turks upon Achi Baba's summit and Battleship Hill. Aeroplanes could count every tent and every ship at Mudros or at Imbros. Within rifle fire of Anzac's open beach hostile riflemen were looking out across the Aegean no more than 20 feet from our opposing lines.

Every modern appliance of telescope, telegraph, wireless was at the disposal of the enemy. Yet the instructions worked out at general headquarters in the minutest detail (the result of conferences with the royal navy, which were attended by Brigadier-General Keen of Gen. Birdwood's staff) were such that the scheme was carried through without a hitch. The preparation of the ambush was treated as a simple matter by the services therein engaged, and yet I much doubt whether any more pregnant enterprise than this of landing so large a force under the very eyes of the enemy, and of keeping them concealed there three days, is recorded in the annals of war.

The troops now at the disposal of Gen. Birdwood amounted in round numbers to 37,000 rifles and 72 guns, with naval support from two cruisers, four monitors and two destroyers. Under the scheme these troops were to be divided into two main portions. The task of holding the existing Anzac position and of making frontal assaults therefrom was assigned to the Australian Division (plus the First and Third Light Horse Brigades and two battalions of the Fortieth Brigade); that of assaulting the Chunuk Bair ridge was entrusted to the New Zealand and Australian Division (less the First and Third Light Horse Brigades), to the Thirteenth Division (less five battalions), and to the Twenty-ninth Indian Infantry Brigade and to the Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade. The Twenty-ninth Brigade of the Tenth Division (less one battalion) and the Thirty-eighth Brigade were held in reserve.

The most simple method of developing this complicated series of operations will be first to take the frontal attacks from the existing Anzac position and afterwards to go on to the assault on the more distant ridges. During Aug. 4, 5 and 6 the works on the enemy's left and center were subjected to a slow bombardment, and on the afternoon of Aug 6 an assault was made upon the formidable Lone Pine entrenchment. Although, in its essence, a diversion to draw the enemy's attention and reserves from the grand attack impending upon his right, yet, in itself, Lone Pine was a distinct step on the way across to Maidos. It commanded one of the main sources of the Turkish water supply, and was a work, or, rather, a series of works, for the safety of which the enemy had always evinced a certain nervousness. The attack was designed to heighten this impression.

The "Pimple" Salient.

The work consisted of a strong point d'appui on the southwestern end of a plateau, where it confronted at distances varying from 60 to 120 yards, the salient in the line of our trenches named by us the Pimple. The entrenchment was evidently very strong; it was entangled with wire, and provided with overhead cover, and it was connected by numerous communication trenches with other point d'appui known as Johnston's Jolly on the north, as well as with two other works on the east and south. The frontage for attack amounted at most to some 220 yards, and the approaches lay open to heavy enfilade fire, both from the north and from the south.

The detailed scheme of attack was worked out with care and forethought by Major-General H. B. Walker, commanding First Australian Division, and his thoughtfulness contributed, I consider, largely to the success of the terprise.

The action commenced at 4:30 p. m., with a continuous and heavy bombardment of the Lone Pine and adjacent trenches, his majesty's ship Bacchante assisting by searching the valleys to the northeast and east, and the monitors by shelling the enemy's batteries south of Gaba Tepe. The assault had been entrusted to the First Australian Brigade (Brigadier-General N. M. Smyth), and punctually at 5:30 p. m. it was carried out by the Second, Third and Fourth Australian Battalions, the First Battalion forming the brigade reserve. Two lines left their trenches simultaneously, and were closely followed up by a third. The rush across the open was a regular race against death, which came in the shape of a hail of shell and rifle bullets from front and from either flank. But the Australians had firmly resolved to reach the enemy's trenches, and in this determination they became for the moment invincible. The barbed wire entanglement was reached and was surmounted. Then came a terrible moment, when it seemed as though it would be physically impossible to penetrate into the trenches. The overhead cover of stout pine beams resisted all individual efforts to move it and the loopholes continued to spit fire. Groups of our men then bodily lifted up the beams and individual soldiers leaped down into the semi-darkened galleries amongst the Turks. By 5:47 p. m. the Third and Fourth Battalions were well into the enemy's vitals, and a few minutes later the reserves of the Second Battalion advanced over their parados, and driving out, killing or capturing the occupants, made good the whole of the trenches. The reserve companies of the Third and Fourth Battalions followed, and at 6:20 p. m. the First Battalion (in reserve) was launched to consolidate the position.

Determined Counter-Attack.

At once the Turks made it plain, as they have never ceased to do since, that they had no intention of acquiescing in the capture of this capital work. At 7 p. m. a determined and violent counter-attack began, both from the north and from the south. Wave upon wave the enemy swept forward with the bayonet. Here and there a well-directed salvo of bombs emptied a section of a trench, but whenever this occurred the gap was quickly filled by the initiative of the officers and the gallantry of the men.

The enemy allowed small respite. At 1:20 that night the battle broke out afresh. Strong parties of Turks swarmed out of the communication trenches, preceded by showers of bombs. For seven hours, these counter-attacks continued. All this time consolidation was being attempted, although the presence of so many Turkish prisoners hampered movement and constituted an actual danger. In beating off these desperate counter-attacks very heavy casualties were suffered by the Australians. Part of the Twelfth Battalion, the reserve of the Third Brigade, had therefore to be thrown into the melee.

Twelve hours later, at 1:30 p. m., on the seventh, another effort was made by the enemy, lasting uninterruptedly at closest quarters till 5 p. m., then being resumed at midnight, and proceeding intermittently till dawn. At an early period of this last counter-attack the Fourth Battalion were forced by bombs to relinquish a portion of a trench, but later on, led by their commanding officer, Lieutenant-Colonel McNaghten, they killed every Turk who had got in.

During Aug. 8 advantage was taken of every cessation in the enemy's bombing to consolidate. The Second Battalion, which had lost its commanding officer and suffered especially severely, was withdrawn, and replaced by the Seventh Battalion, the reserve to the Second Infantry Brigade.

At 5 a. m. on Aug. 9 the enemy made a sudden attempt to storm from the east and southeast, after a feint of fire attack from the north. The Seventh Battalion bore the brunt of the shock, and handled the attack so vigorously that by 7:45 a. m. there were clear signs of demoralization in the enemy's ranks. But although this marked the end of counter-attacks on the large scale, the bombing and sniping continued, though in less volume, throughout this day and night, and lasted till Aug. 12, when it at last became manifest that we had gained complete ascendancy. During the final grand assault our losses from artillery fire were large, and ever since the work has passed into our hands it has been a favorite daily and nightly mark for heavy shells and bombs.

A Glory to Australia.

Thus was Lone Pine taken and held. The Turks were in great force and very full of fight, yet one weak Australian brigade, numbering at the outset but 2000 rifles, and supported only by two weak battalions, carried the work under the eyes of a whole enemy division, and maintained their grip upon it like a vice during six days' sucessive counter attacks. High praise is due to Brig.-Gen. N. M. Smyth and to his battalion commanders. The irresistible dash and daring of officers and men in the initial charge were a glory to Australia. The stout-heartedness with which they clung to the captured ground in spite of fatigue, severe losses, and the continual strain of shell fire and bomb attacks may seem less striking to the civilian; it is even more admirable to the soldier. From start to finish, the artillery support was untiring and vigilant. Owing to the rapid, accurate fire of the Second New Zealand Battery under Maj. Sykes, several of the Turkish onslaughts were altogether defeated in their attempts to get to grips with the Australians. Not a chance was lost by these gunners, although time and again the enemy's artillery made direct hits on their shields. The hand-to-hand fighting in the semi-obscurity of the trenches was prolonged and very bitterly contested. In one corner eight Turks and six Australians were found lying as they had bayonetted one another. To make room for the fighting men the dead were ranged in rows on either side of the gangway. After the first violence of the counter-attacks had abated, 1000 corpses—our own and Turkish—were dragged out from the trenches.

For the severity of our own casualties some partial consolation may be found in the facts, first, that those of the enemy were much heavier, our guns and machine guns having taken toll of them as they advanced in mass formation along the reverse slopes; secondly, that the Lone Pine attack drew all the local enemy reserves towards it, and may be held, more than any other cause, to have been the reason that the Sulva Bay landing was so lightly opposed, and that comparatively few of the enemy were available at first to reinforce against our attack on Sari Bair. Our captures in this feat of arms amounted to 134 prisoners, seven machine guns and a large quantity of ammunition and equipment.

Other Gallant Attacks.

Other frontal attacks from the existing Anzac positions were not so fortunate. They fulfilled their object in so far as they prevented the enemy from reinforcing against the attack upon the high ridges, but they failed to make good any ground. Taken in sequence of time, they included an attack upon the work known as German Officers Trench, on the extreme right of our line, at midnight, on Aug. 6-7, also assaults on the Nek and Baby 700 trenches, opposite the center of our line, delivered at 4:30 a. m. on the 7th. The Second Australian Brigade did all that men could do; the 5th Light Horse only accepted their repulse after losing three-fourths of that devoted band who so bravely sallied forth from Russell's Top. Some of the works were carried, but in these cases the enemy's concealed machine-guns made it impossible to hold on. But all that day, as the result of these most gallant attacks, Turkish reserves on Battleship Hill were being held back to meet any dangerous development along the front of the old Anzac line, and so were not available to met our main enterprise, which I will now endeavor to describe.

The first step in the real push—the step which above all others was to count—was the night attack on the summits of the Sari Bair ridge. The crest line of this lofty mountain range runs parallel to the sea, dominating the underfeatures contained within the Anzac position, although these fortunately defilade the actual landing place. From the main ridge a series of spurs run down towards the level beach, and are separated from one another by deep, jagged gullies choked up with dense jungle. Two of these leading up to Chunuk Bair are called Chailak Dere and Sazli Beit Dere; another deep ravine runs up to Koja Chemen Tepe (Hill 305), the topmost peak of the whole ridge, and is called the Aghyl Dere.

It was our object to effect a lodgment along the crest of the high main ridge with two columns of troops, but, seeing the nature of the ground and the disposition of the enemy, the effort had to be made by stages. We were bound, in fact, to undertake a double subsidiary operation before we could hope to launch these attacks with any real prospect of success.

1. The right covering force was to seize Table Top, as well as all other enemy positions commanding the foothills between the Chailak Dere and the Sazli Beit Dere ravines. If this enterprise succeeded it would open up the ravines for the assaulting columns, whilst at the same time interposing between the right flank of the left covering force and the enemy holding the Sari Bair main ridge.

2. The left covering force was to march northwards along the beach to seize a hill called Damakjelik Bair, some 1400 yards north of Table Top. If successful it would be able to hold out a hand to the ninth corps as it landed south of Nibrunesi Point, whilst at the same time protecting the left flank of the left assaulting column against enemy troops from the Anafarta valley during its climb up the Aghyl Dere ravine.

3. The right assaulting column was to move up the Chailak Dere and Sazli Beit Dere ravines to the storm of the ridge of Chunuk Bair.

4. The left assaulting column was to work up the Aghyl Dere and proiong the line of the right assaulting column by storming Hill 305 (Koja Chemen Tepe), the summit of the whole range of hills.

Position Cleverly Captured.

Old Post No. 3, connected with Table Top by a razor back, formed the apex of a triangular piece of hill sloping gradually down to our No. 2 and No. 3 outposts. Since its recapture from us by the Turks on May 30 working parties had done their best with unstinted material to convert this commanding point into an impregnable redoubt. Two lines of fire trench, very heavily entangled, protected its southern face—the only one accessible to us—and, with its head cover of solid timber baulks and its strongly revetted outworks, it dominated the approaches of both the Chailak Dere and the Sazli Beit Dere.

Table Top is a steep-sided, flat-topped hill, close on 400 feet above sea level. The sides of the hill are mostly sheer and quite impracticable, but here and there a ravine, choked with scrub, and under fire of enemy trenches, give precarious foothold up the precipitous cliffs. The small plateau on the summit was honeycombed with trenches, which were connected by a communication alley with that under-feature of Sari Bair, known as Rhododendron Spur.

Amongst other stratagems the Anzac troops, assisted by his majesty's ship Colne, had long and carefully been educating the Turks how they should lose Old No. 3 Post, which could hardily have been rushed by simple force of arms. Every night, exactly at 9 p. m., his majesty's ship Colne threw the beam of her searchlight onto the redoubt, and opened fire upon it for exactly 10 minutes. Then, after a 10 minutes' interval, came a second illumination and bombardment, commencing always at 9:20 and ending precisely at 9:30 p. m.

The idea was that, after successive nights of such practice, the enemy would get into the habit of taking the searchlight as a hint to clear out until the shelling was at hand. But on the eventful night of the 6th the sound of their footsteps drowned by the loud cannonade, unseen as they crept along in that darkest shadow which fringes a searchlight's beam—came the right covering column. At 9:20 the light switched off, and instantly our men poured out of the scrub jungle and into the empty redoubt. By 11 p. m. the whole series of surrounding entrenchments were ours!

Once the capture of Old No. 3 Post was fairly under way, the remainder of the right covering column carried on with their attack upon Bauchop's Hill and the Chailak Dere. By 10 p. m. the northernmost point, with its machine gun, was captured, and by 1 o'clock in the morning the whole of Bauchop's Hill, a maze of ridge and ravine, everywhere entrenched, was fairly in our hands.

Attack on Table Top.

The attack along the Chailak Dere was not so cleanly carried out—made, indeed, just about as ugly a start as any enemy could wish. Pressing eagerly forward through the night, the little column of stormers found themselves held up by a barbed-wire erection of unexampled height, depth and solidity, which completely closed the river bed—that is to say, the only practicable entrance to the ravine. The entanglement was flanked by a strongly held enemy trench running right across the opening of the Chailak Dere. Here that splendid body of men, the Otago Mounted Rifles, lost some of their bravest and their best, but in the end, when things were beginning to seem desperate, a passage was forced through the stubborn obstacle with most conspicuous and cool courage by Capt. Shera and a party of New Zealand Engineers, supported by the Maoris, who showed themselves worthy descendants of the warriors of the Gate Pah. Thus was the mouth of the Chailak Dere opened in time to admit of the unopposed entry of the right assaulting column.

Simultaneously the attack on Table Top had been launched, under cover of a heavy bombardment from his majesty's ship Colne. No General on peace maneuvers would ask troops to attempt so breakneck an enterprise. The flanks of Table Top are so steep that the height gives the impression of a mushroom shape—of the summit bulging out over its stem. But just as faith moves mountains, so valor can carry them The Turks fought bravely.

The angle of Table Top's ascent is recognized in our regulations as "impracticable for infantry." But neither Turks nor angles of ascent were destined to stop Russell or his New Zealanders that night. There are moments during battle when life becomes intensified, when men become supermen, when the impossible becomes simple—and this was one of those moments. The scarped heights were scaled, the plateau was carried by midnight. With this brilliant feat the task of the right covering force was at an end. Its attacks had been made with the bayonet and bomb only; magazines were empty by order; hardly a rifle-shot had been fired. Some 150 prisoners were captured, as well as many rifles and much equipment, ammunition and stores. No words can do justice to the achievement of Brigadier-General Russell and his men. There are exploits which must be seen to be realized.

The right assaulting column had entered the two southerly ravines—Sazli Beit Dere and Chailak Dere—by midnight. At 1:30 a. m. began a hotly-contested fight for the trenches on the lower part of Rhododendron Spur, while the Chailak Dere column pressed steadily up the valley against the enemy.

South Wales Borderers.

The left covering column, under Brigadier-General Travers, after marching along the beach to No. 3 Outpost, resumed its northerly advance as soon as the attack on Bauchop's Hill had developed. Once the Chailak Dere was cleared the column moved by the mouth of the Aghyl Dere, disregarding the enfilade fire from sections of Bauchop's Hill still uncaptured. The rapid progress of this movement was largely due to Lieutenant-Colonel Gillespie, a very fine man, who commanded the advance guard consisting of his own regiment, the Fourth South Wales Borderers, a corps worthy of such a leader. Every trench encountered was instantly rushed by the Borderers until, having reached the predetermined spot, the whole column was unhesitatingly launched at Damakjelik Bair. Several Turkish trenches were captured at the bayonet's point, and by 1:30 a. m. the whole of the hill was occupied, thus safeguarding the left rear of the whole of the Anzac attack.

Here was an encouraging sample of what the New Army, under good auspices, could accomplish. Nothing more trying to inexperienced troops can be imagined than a long night march exposed to flanking fire, through a strange country, winding up at the end with a bayonet charge against a height, formless and still in the starlight, garrisoned by those spectres of the imagination, worst enemies of the soldier.

The left assaulting column crossed the Chailak Dere at 12:30 a. m., and entered the Aghyl Dere at the heels of the left covering column. The surprise, on this side, was complete. Two Turkish officers were caught in their pajamas, enemy arms and ammunition were scattered in every direction.

The grand attack was now in full swing, but the country gave new sensations in cliff climbing even to officers and men who had graduated over the goat tracks of Anzac. The darkness of the night, the density of the scrub, hands and knees progress up the spurs, sheer physical fatigue, exhaustion of the spirit caused by repeated hairbreadth escapes from the hail of random bullets—all these combined to take the edge off the energies of our troops. At last, after advancing some distance up the Aghyl Dere, the column split up into two parts. The Fourth Australian Brigade struggled, fighting hard as they went, up to the north of the northern fork of the Aghyl Dere, making for Hill 305 (Koja Chemen Tepe). The Twenty-ninth Indian Infantry Brigade scrambled up the southern fork of the Aghyl

Stomach Troubles Due to Acidity

So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, wind, stomach-ache and inability to retain food, are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence that fermentation, the result of excess acid, is taking place in the food contents of the stomach, causing the formation of gas. Wind distends the stomach and causes that full, oppressive feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the excessive secretion of acid and the fermentation of food. Such fermentation is unnatural and may involve harmful consequences if not corrected. To stop or prevent fermentation of food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid and render it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of Bisurated Magnesia, perhaps the best and most effective corrector of acid stomach known, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water immediately after eating, or whenever wind or acidity is felt. This stops the fermentation and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments. Fermentation, wind and acidity are unnecessary. Stop or prevent them by the use of a proper antacid, such as Bisurated Magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist, and thus enable the stomach to do its work properly without being hindered by gas and excessive acid.—ADV.

Indoor Life Makes Fat

TAKE OIL OF KOREIN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT.

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-stoutness, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air weakens the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality, and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

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MOTHER! LOOK AT YOUR CHILD'S TONGUE

Give "California Syrup of Figs" If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Constipated—They love it

Watch Children! Guard Against Colds, Grippe, Sore Throat and Sickness by Keeping Liver and Bowels Free from Poisons



A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to consider their own health, consequently their bowels become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has the grippe or a sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Note that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't make a mistake, but ask for Syrup of Figs, but ask for "California Syrup of Figs." Remember, "California."—ADV.

A Tragic Defeat That Was, at Times, Nearly a Victory

here and the spurs north of it to the attack of a portion of the Sari Bair ridge known as Hill Q.

From Ridge to Ridge.

Dawn broke and the crest line was not yet in our hands, although, considering all things, the left assaulting column had made a marvelous advance. The Fourth Australian Infantry Bridage was on the line of the Asma Dere (the next ravine north of the Aghyl Dere) and the Twenty-ninth Indian Infantry Brigade held the ridge west of the farm below Chunuk Bair and along the spurs to the northeast. The enemy had been flung back from ridge to ridge; an excellent line for the renewal of the attack had been secured, and (except for the exhaustion of the troops) the auspices were propitious.

Turning to the right assaulting column, one battalion, the Canterbury Infantry Battalion, clambered slowly up the Sazli Beit Dere. The remainder of the force, led by the Otago Battalion, wound their way amongst the pitfalls and forced their passage through the scrub of the Chailak Dere, where fierce opposition forced them ere long to deploy. Here, too, the hopeless country was the main hindrance, and it was not until 5:45 a. m. that the bulk of the column joined the Canterbury Battalion on the lower slopes of Rhododendron Spur. The whole force then moved up the spur, gaining touch with the left assaulting column by means of the Tenth Gurkhas, in face of very heavy fire and frequent bayonet charges. Eventually they entrenched on the top of Rhododendron Spur, a quarter of a mile short of Chunuk Bair—i. e., of victory.

At 7 a. m. the Fifth and Sixth Gurkhas, belonging to the left assaulting column, had approached the main ridge northeast of Chunuk Bair, whilst, on their left, the Fourteenth Sikhs had got into touch with the Fourth Australian Brigade on the southern watershed of the Asma Dere. The Fourth Australian Brigade now received orders to leave half a battalion to hold the spur, and, with the rest of its strength, plus the Fourteenth Sikhs, to assault Hill 305 (Koja Chemen Tepe). But by this time the enemy's opposition had hardened, and his reserves were moving up from the direction of Battleship Hill. Artillery support was asked for and given, yet by 9 a. m. the attack of the right assaulting column on Chunuk Bair was checked, and any idea of a further advance on Koja Chemen Tepe had to be, for the moment, suspended. The most that could be done was to hold fast to the Asmak Dere watershed whilst attacking the ridge northeast of Chunuk Bair, an attack to be supported by a fresh assault launched against Chunuk Bair itself.

At 9:30 a. m. the two assaulting columns pressed forward whilst our guns pounded the enemy moving along the Battleship Hill spurs. But in spite of all their efforts their increasing exhaustion as opposed to the gathering strength of the enemy's fresh troops began to tell—they had shot their bolt. So all day they clung to what they had captured and strove to make ready for the night. At 11 a. m. three battalions of the Thirty-ninth Infantry Brigade were sent up from the general reserve to be at hand when needed, and at the same hour one more battalion of the reserves was dispatched to the First Australian Division to meet the drain caused by all the desperate Lone Pine fighting.

By the afternoon the position of the two assaulting columns was unchanged. The right covering force were in occupation of Table Top, Old No. 3 Post and Bauchop Hill, which Gen. Russell had been ordered to maintain with two regiments of Mounted Rifles, so that he might have two other regiments and the Maori contingent available to move as required. The left covering force held Damakjelik Bair. The forces which had attackced along the front of the original Anzac line were back again in their own trenches. The Lone Pine work was being furiously disputed. All had suffered heavily and all were very tired.

So ended the first phase of the fighting for the Chunuk Bair ridge. Our aims had not fully been attained, and the help we had hoped for from Suvla had not been forthcoming. Yet I fully endorse the words of Gen. Birdwood when he says: "The troops had performed a feat which is without parallel."

In the course of this afternoon (Aug. 7) reconnaissances of Sari Bair were carried out and the troops were got into shape for a fresh advance in three columns, to take place in the early morning.

The right column was to climb up the Chunuk Bair ridge; the left column was to make for the prolongation of the ridge northeast to Koja Chemen Tepe, the topmost peak of the range.

Chunuk Bair Captured.

The attack was timed for 4:15 a. m. At the first faint glimmer of dawn observers saw figures moving against the sky-line of Chunuk Bair. Were they our own men, or were they the Turks? Telescopes were anxiously adjusted; the light grew stronger; men were seen climbing up from our side of the ridge; they were our own fellows—the topmost summit was ours!

On the right Gen. Johnston's column, headed by the Wellington Battalion and supported by the Seventh Battalion, Gloucestershire Regiment, the Auckland Mounted Rifles Regiment, the Eighth Welsh Pioneers and the Maori contingent, the whole most gallantly led by Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Malone, had raced one another up the steep. Nothing could check them. On they went, until, with a last determined rush, they fixed themselves firmly on the south-western slopes and crest of the main knoll known as the height of Chunuk Bair. With deep regret I have to add that the brave Lieutenant-Colonel Malone fell mortally wounded as he was marking out the line to be held. The Seventh Gloucesters suffered terrible losses here. The fire was so hot that they never got a chance to dig their trenches deeper than some six inches, and there they had to withstand attack after attack. In the course of these fights every single officer, company Sergeant-Major or company Quartermaster-Sergeant was either killed or wounded, and the battalion by midday consisted of small groups of men commanded by junior noncommissioned officers or privates. Chapter and verse may be quoted for the view that the pluck and life of an army cannot long endure the strain of close hand-to-hand fighting unless they are given confidence by the example of good officers. Yet here is at least one instance where a battalion of the New army fought right on, from midday till sunset, without any officers.

In the center the Thirty-ninth Infantry Brigade and the Twenty-ninth Indian Brigade moved along the gullies leading up to the Sari Bair ridge—the right moving south of the farm on Chunuk Bair, the left up the spurs to the northeast of the farm against a portion of the main ridge northeast of Chunuk Bair, and the col to the north of it. So murderous was the enemy's fire that little progress could be made, though some ground was gained on the spurs to the northeast of the farm.

Enough for Honor.

On the left the Fourth Australian Brigade advanced from the Asmak Dere against the lower slopes of Abdul Rahman Bair (a spur running due north from Koja Chemen Tepe), with the intention of wheeling to its right and advancing up the spur. Cunningly placed Turkish machine guns and a strong entrenched body of infantry were ready for this move, and the brigade were unable to get on. At last, on the approach of heavy columns of the enemy, the Australians, virtually surrounded, and having already suffered losses of over 1000, were withdrawn to their original position. Here they stood at bay, and though the men were by now half dead with thirst and with fatigue, they bloodily repulsed attack after attack delivered by heavy columns of Turks.

So stood matters at noon. Enough had been done for honor and much ground had everywhere been gained. The expected support from Suvla hung fire, but the capture of Chunuk Bair was a presage of victory; even if the troops who had been repulsed were quite undefeated—quite full of fight—and so it was decided to hold hard as we were till nightfall, and then to essay one more grand attack, wherein the footing gained on Chunuk Bair would this time be used as a pivot.

In the afternoon the battle slackened, excepting always at Lone Pine, where the enemy were still coming on in mass, and being mown down by our fire. Elsewhere the troops were busy digging and getting up water and food, no child's play, with their wretched lines of communication running within musketry range of the enemy.

That evening the New Zealand Brigade, with two regiments of New Zealand Mounted Rifles and the Maoris, held Rhododendron Spur and the southwestern slopes of the main knoll of Chunuk Bair. The front line was prolonged by the columns of Gen. Cox and Gen. Monash (with the Fourth Australian Brigade). Behind the New Zealanders were the Thirty-eighth Brigade in reserve, and in rear of Gen. Monash two battalions of the Fortieth Brigade. The inner line was held as before, and the Twenty-ninth Brigade (less two battalions) had been sent up from the general reserve, and remained still further in rear.

The Renewed Attack.

At 4:30 a. m. on Aug. 9 the Chunuk Bair ridge and Hill Q were heavily shelled. The naval guns, all the guns on the left flank, and as many as possible from the right flank (whence the enemy's advance could be enfiladed), took part in this cannonade, which rose to its climax at 5:15 a. m., when the whole ridge seemed a mass of flame and smoke, whence huge clouds of dust drifted slowly upwards in strange patterns on to the sky. At 5:16 a. m. this tremendous bombardment was to be switched off on to the flanks and reverse slopes of the heights.

Gen. Baldwin's column had assembled in the Chailak Dere, and was moving up towards Gen. Johnston's headquarters. Our plan contemplated the massing of this column immediately behind the trenches held by the New Zealand Infantry Brigade. Thence he was intended to launch the battalions in successive line, keeping them as much as possible on the high ground. Infinite trouble had been taken to ensure that the narrow track should be kept clear, guides also were provided; but in spite of all precautions the darkness, the rough, scrub-covered country, its sheer steepness, so delayed the column that they were unable to take full advantage of the configuration of the ground, inclining to the left, did not reach the line of the Farm—Chunuk Bair—till 5:15 a. m. In plain English, Baldwin, owing to the darkness and the awful country, lost his way—through no fault of his own. The mischance was due to the fact that time did not admit of the detailed, careful reconnoissance of routes which is so essential where operations are to be carried out by night.

"Fortune of War Against Us."

And now, under that fine leader, Maj. C. G. L. Allanson, the Sixth Gurkas of the Twenty-ninth Indian Infantry Brigade pressed up the slopes of Sari Bair, crowned the heights of the knoll between Chunuk Bair and Hill Q, viewed far beneath them the waters of the Helespone, viewed the Asiatic shores along which motor transport was bringing supplies to the lighters. Not only did this battalion, as well as some of the Sixth South Lancashire Regiment, reach the crest, but they began to attack down the far side of it, firing as they went at the fast retreating enemy. But the fortune of war was against us. At this supreme moment Baldwin's column was still a long way from our trenches on the crest of Chunuk Bair, whence they should even now have been sweeping out towards Q along the whole ridge of the mountain. And instead of Baldwin's support came suddenly a salvo of heavy shell. These falling so unexpectedly among the stormers threw them into terrible confusion. The Turkish commander saw his chance; instantly his troops were rallied and brought back in a counter-charge, and the South Lancashires and Kurkhas, who had seen the promised land and had seemed for a moment to have held victory in their grasp, were forced backwards over the crest and on to the lower slopes whence they had first started.

But where was the main attack—where was Baldwin? When that bold but unlucky commander found he could not possibly reach our trenches on the top of Chunuk Bair in time to take effective part in the fight he deployed for attack where he stood, i. e., at the farm to the left of the New Zealand Brigade's trenches on Rhododendron Spur. Now his men were coming on in fine style, and, just as the Turks topped the ridge with shouts of elation, two companies of the Sixth East Lancashire Regiment, together with the Tenth Hampshire Regiment, charged up our side of the slope with the bayonet. They had gained the high ground immediately below the commanding knoll on Chunuk Bair, and a few minutes earlier would have joined hands with the Gurkhas and South Lancashires, and, combined with them, would have carried all before them. But the Turks by this time were lining the whole of the high crest in overwhelming numbers.

New Army Troops' Audacity.

The New Army troops attacked with a fine audacity, but they were flung back from the height and then pressed still further down the slope, until Gen. Baldwin had to withdraw his command to the vicinity of the farm, whilst the enemy, much encouraged, turned their attention to the New Zealand troops and the two New Army battalions of No. 1 Column still holding the southwest half of the main knoll of Chunuk Bair. Constant attacks, urged with fanatical persistence, were met here with a sterner resolution, and although, at the end of the day, our troops were greatly exhausted, they still kept their footing on the summit. And, if that summit meant so much to us, it meant even more to the Turks. For the ridge covered our landing places, it is true, but it covered not only the Turkish beaches at Killa Leman and Maidos, but also the Narrows themselves and the roads leading northward to Bulair and Constantinople.

That evening our line ran along Rhododendron Spur up to the crest of Chunuk Bair, where about 200 yards were occupied and held by some 800 men. Slight trenches had hastily been dug, but the fatigue of the New Zealanders and the fire of the enemy had prevented solid work being done. The trenches in many places were not more than a few inches deep. They were not protected by wire. Also many officers are of opinion that they had not been well sited in the first instance. On the South African system the main line was withdrawn some twenty-five yards from the crest instead of being actually on the crest-line itself, and there were not even look-out posts along the summit.

Boer skirmishers would thus have had to show themselves against the skyline before they could annoy. But here we were faced by regulars, taught to attack in mass with bayonet or bomb, and the power of collecting overwhelming numbers at very close quarters rested with whichever side held the true skyline in force.

From Chunuk Bair the line ran down to the farm, and almost due north to the Asma Dere southern watershed, whence it continued westward to the sea near Asmak Kuyu. On the right the Australian division was still holding its line, and Lone Pine was still being furiously attacked. The First Australian Brigade was now reduced from 2300 to 1000, and the total casualties up to 8 p. m. on the ninth amounted to about 8500. But the troops were still in extraordinarily good heart, and nothing could damp their keenness. The only discontent shown was by men who were kept in reserve.

During the night of the 9th-10th the New Zealand and new army troops on Chunuk Bair were relieved. For three days and three nights they had been ceaselessly fighting. They were half-dead with fatigue. Their lines of communication, started from sea level, ran across trackless ridges and ravines to an altitude of 800 feet, and were exposed all the way to snipers' fire and artillery bombardment. It had become imperative, therefore, to get them enough food, water and rest; and for this purpose it was imperative also to withdraw them. Chunuk Bair, which then had so magnificently held, was now handed over to two battalions of the Thirteenth Division, which were connected by the Tenth Hampshire Regiment with the troops at the farm. Gen. Sir William Birdwood is emphatic on the point that the nature of the ground is such that there was no room on the crest for more than this body of 800 to 1000 rifles.

Overwhelmed by Numbers.

The two battalions of the new army chosen to hold Chunuk Bair were the Sixth Loyal North Lancashire Regiment and the Fifth Wiltshire Regiment. The first of these arrived in good time and occupied the trenches. Even in the darkness their commanding officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Levinge, recognized how dangerously these trenches were sited, and he began at once to dig observation posts on the actual crest and to strengthen the defenses where he could. But he had not time given him to do much. The Second Battalion, the Wiltshires, were delayed by the intricate country. They did not reach the edge of the entrenchment until 4 a. m., and were then told to lie down in what was believed, erroneously, to be a covered position.

At daybreak on Tuesday, Aug. 10, the Turks delivered a grand attack from the line Chunuk Bair Hill Q against these two battalions, already weakened in numbers, though not in spirit, by previous fighting. First our men were shelled by every enemy gun, and then, at 5:30 a. m., were assaulted by a huge column, consisting of no less than a full division plus a regiment of three battalions. The North Lancashire men were simply overwhelmed in their shallow trenches by sheer weight of numbers, whilst the Wilts, who were caught out in the open, were literally almost annihilated. The ponderous mass of the enemy swept over the crest, turned the right flank of our line below, swarmed around the Hampshires and Gen. Baldwin's column, which had to give ground and were only extricated with great difficulty and very heavy losses.

Now it was our turn. The warships and the New Zealand and Australian Artillery, the Indian Mounted Artillery Brigade and the -ninth Brigade Royal Field Artillery were getting the chance of a lifetime. As the successive solid lines of Turks topped the crest of the ridge gaps were torn through their formation, and an iron rain fell on them as they tried to reform in the gullies.

Not here only did the Turks pay dearly for their recapture of the vital crest. Enemy reinforcements continued to move up Battleship Hill under heavy and accurate fire from our guns, and still they kept topping the ridges and pouring down the western slopes of the Chunuk Bair as if determined to regain everything they had lost. But once they were over the crest they became exposed not only to the full blast of the guns, naval and military, but also to a battery of 10 machine guns belonging to the New Zealand Infantry Brigade, which played upon their serried ranks at close range until the barrels were red hot.

Enormous losses were inflicted, especially by these 10 machine guns; and, of the swarms which had once fairly crossed the crest line, only the merest handful ever straggled back to their own side of Chunuk Bair.

At this same time strong forces of the enemy (forces which I had reckoned would have been held back to meet our advance from Suvla Bay) were hurled against the Farm and the spurs to the northeast, where there arose a conflict so deadly that it may be considered as the climax of the four days' fighting for the ridge. Portions of our line were pierced, and the troops driven clean down the hill. At the foot of the hill the men were rallied by Staff Captain Street, who was there supervising the transport of food and water. Without a word, unhesitatingly, they followed him back to the Farm, where they plunged again into the midst of that series of struggles in which Generals fought in the ranks and men dropped their scientific weapons and caught one another by the throat.

So desperate a battle cannot be described. The Turks came on again and again, fighting magnificently, calling upon the name of God. Our men stood to it, and maintained, by many a deed of daring, the old traditions of their race. There was no flinching. They died in the ranks where they stood. Here Generals Cayley, Baldwin and Cooper and all their gallant men achieved great glory. On this bloody field fell Brigadier-General Baldwin, who earned his first laurels on Caesar's Camp at Ladysmith. There, too, fell Brigadier-General Cooper, badly wounded; and there, too, fell Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Nunn, commanding the Ninth Worcestershire Regiment; Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Levinge, commanding the Sixth Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; and Lieutenant-Colonel J. Carden, commanding the Fifth Wiltshire Regiment.

A "Track of Corpses."

Towards this supreme struggle the absolute last two battalions from the general reserve were now hurried, but by 10 a. m. the effort of the enemy was spent. Soon their shattered remnants began to trickle back, leaving a track of corpses behind them, and by night, except prisoners or wounded, no live Turk was left upon our side of the slope.

That same day, Aug. 10, two attacks, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon, were delivered on our positions along the Asmak Dere and Damakjelik Bair. Both were repulsed with heavy loss by the Fourth Australian Brigade and the Fourth South Wales Borderers, the men of the new army showing all the steadiness of veterans. Sad to say, the Borderers lost their intrepid leader, Lieutenant-Colonel Gillespie, in the course of this affair.

By evening the total casualties of Gen. Birdwood's force had reached 12,000 and included a very large proportion of officers. The Thirteenth Division of the new army, under Major-General Shaw, had alone lost 6000 out of a grand total of 10,500. Baldwin was gone, and all his staff. Ten commanding officers out of 13 had disappeared from the fighting effectives. The Warwicks and the Worcesters had lost literally every single officer. The old German notion that no unit would stand a loss of more than 25 per cent had been completely falsified. The Thirteenth Division and the Twenty-ninth Brigade of the Tenth (Irish) Division had lost more than twice that proportion, and, in spirit, were game for as much more fighting as might be required. But physically, though Birdwood's forces were prepared to hold on to all they had gained, excepting only the footholds on the ridge between Chunuk Bair and Hill Q, momentarily carried by the Gurkhas, and the salient of Chunuk Bair itself, which they had retained for 48 hours. Unfortunately, these two pieces of ground, small and worthless as they seemed, were worth, according to the ethics of war, 10,000 lives, for by their loss or retention they just marked the difference between an important success and a signal victory.

At times I had thought of throwing my reserves into this stubborn central battle, where probably they would have turned the scale. But each time the water troubles made me give up the idea, all ranks at Anzac being reduced to one pint a day. True thirst is a sensation unknown to the dwellers in cool, well-watered England. But at Anzac, when mules with water "pakhals" arrived at the front, the men would rush up to them in swarms, just to lick the moisture that had exuded through the canvas bags. It will be understood, then, that until wells had been discovered under the freshly won hills, the reinforcing of Anzac by even so much as a brigade was unthinkable.

"Joyous Alacrity" of Troops.

The grand coup had not come off. The Narrows were still out of sight and beyond field-gun range. But this was not the fault of Lieutenant-General Birdwood or any of the officers and men under his command. No mortal can command success; Lieutenant-General Birdwood had done all that mortal man can do to deserve it. The way in which he worked out his instructions into practical arrangements and dispositions upon the terrain reflect high credit upon his military capacity.

As for the troops, the joyous alacrity with which they faced danger, wounds and death, as if they were some new form of exciting recreation, has astonished me—old campaigner as I am. I will say no more, leaving Major-General Godley to speak for what happened under his eyes:

"I cannot close my report," he says, "without placing on record my unbounded admiration of the work performed, and the gallantry displayed, by the troops and their leaders during the severe fighting involved in these operations. Though the Australian, New Zealand and Indian units had been confined to trench duty in a cramped space for some four months, and though the troops of the new armies had only just landed from a sea voyage, and many of them had not been previously under fire, I do not believe that any troops in the world could have accomplished more. All ranks vied with one another in the performance of gallant deeds, and more than worthily upheld the best traditions of the British army."

Although the Sari Bair ridge was the key to the whole of my tactical conception, and although the temptation to view this vital Anzac battle at closer quarters was very hard to resist, there was nothing in its course or conduct to call for my personal intervention.

The conduct of the operations which were to be based upon Suvla Bay was entrusted to Lieutenant-General the Hon. Sir F. Stopford. At his disposal was placed the Ninth Army Corps, less the Thirteenth Division and the Twenty-ninth Brigade of the Tenth Division.

The Landing at Suvla.

We believed that the Turks were still unsuspicious about Suvla, and that their only defenses near that part of the coast were a girdle of trenches round Lala Baba and a few unconnected lengths of fire trench on Hill 10 and on the hills forming the northern arm of the bay. There was no wire. Inland a small work had been constructed on Yilghin Burnu (locally known as Chocolate Hills), and a few guns had been placed upon these hills, as well as upon Ismail Oglu Tepe, whence they could be brought into action either against the beaches of Suvla Bay or against any attempt from Anzac to break out northwards and attack Chunuk Bair. The numbers of the enemy allotted for the defense of the Suvla and Ejelmer areas (including the troops in the Anafarta villages, but exclusive of the general reserves in rear of the Sari Bair) were supposed to be under 4000. Until the Turkish version of these events is in our hands it is not possible to be certain of the accuracy of this estimate.

All that can be said at present is that my Intelligence Department was wonderfully exact in its figures as a rule, and, that in the case in question, events, the reports made by the prisoners, etc., seem to show that the forecast was correct.

Arrangements for the landing of the Ninth Corps at Suvla were worked out in minute detail by my general headquarters staff in collaboration with the staff of Vice Admiral de Robeck, and every precaution was taken to insure that the destination of the troops was kept secret upon our side of the slope.

Whilst concentrated at the Island of Imbros the spirit and physique of the Eleventh Division had impressed me very favorably. They were to lead off the landing. From Imbros they were to be ferried over to the peninsula in destroyers and motor lighters. Disembarkation was to begin at 10:30 p. m., half an hour later than the attack on the Turkish outposts on the northern flank at Anzac, and I was sanguine enough to hope that the elaborate plan we had worked out would enable three complete brigades of infantry to be set ashore by daylight. Originally it had been intended that all three brigades should land on the beach immediately south of Nibrunesi Point, but in deference to the representations of the corps commander I agreed, unfortunately, as it turned out, to one brigade being landed inside the bay.

Secret Instructions.

The first task of the Ninth Corps was to seize and hold the Chocolate and Ismail Oglu Hills, together with the high ground on the north and east of Suvla Bay. If the landing went off smoothly, and if my information regarding the strength of the enemy were correct, I hoped that these hills, with their guns, might be well in our possession before daybreak. In that case I hoped further that the first division which landed would be strong enough to picket and hold all the important heights within artillery range of the bay, when Gen. Stopford would be able to direct the remainder of his force, as it became available, through the Anafartas to the east of the Sari Bair, where it should soon smash the mainspring of the Turkish opposition to Anzacs.

On July 22 I issued secret instructions and tables showing the number of craft available for the Ninth Corps commander, their capacity, and the points whereat the troops could be disembarked; also what numbers of troops, animals, vehicles and stores could be landed simultaneously. The allocation of troops to the ships and boats was left to Gen. Stopford's own discretion, subject only to naval exigencies, otherwise the order of the disembarkation might not have tallied with the order of his operations.

The factors governing the hour of landing were: First, that no craft could quit Kephalos Bay before dark (about 9 p. m.); secondly, that nothing could be done which would attract the attention of the enemy before 10 p. m., the moment when the outposts on the left flank of the Anzac position were to be rushed.

Gen. Stopford next framed his orders on these secret instructions, and after they had received my complete approval he proceeded to expound them to the general officers commanding Eleventh Division and general officer commanding Tenth Division, who came over from Mudros for the purpose.

Tribute to the Navy.

As in the original landing, the luck of calm weather favored us, and all the embarkation arrangements at Kephalos were carried out by the Royal Navy in their usual ship-shape style. The Eleventh Division was to be landed at three places, designated and shown on the map as A, B, and D. Destroyers were told off for these landing places, each destroyer towing a steam lighter and picket boat. Every light was to be dowsed, and as they neared the shore the destroyers were to slip their motor-lighters and picket boats, which would then take the beach and discharge direct onto it. The motor lighters were now acquisitions since the first landing, and were to prove the greatest possible assistance. They moved five knots an hour under their own engines, and carried 500 men, as well as stores of ammunition and water. After landing their passengers they were to return to the destroyers, and in one trip would empty them also. Ketches with service launches and transport lifeboats were to follow the destroyers and anchor at the entrance of the bay, so that in case of accidents or delays to any one of the motor lighters a picket boat could be sent at once to a ketch to pick up a tow of lifeboats and take the place of a disabled motor lighter. These ketches and tows were afterwards to be used for evacuating the wounded.

His majesty's ship Endymon and his majesty's ship Theseus, each carrying a thousand men, were also to sail from Imbros, after the destroyers and, lying off the beach, were to discharge their troops directly the motor lighters—three to each ship—were ready to convey the men to the shore, i. e., after they had finished disembarking their own loads and those of the destroyers. When this was done—i. e., after three trips—the motor lighters would be free to go on transporting guns, stores, mules, etc.

The following crafts brought up the rear:

1. Two ketches, each towing four horse boats, carrying four 18-pounder guns and 24 horses.
2. One ketch, towing horse boats with 40 horses.
3. The sloop Aster, with 500 men, towing a lighter containing eight mountain guns.
4. Three ketches, towing horse boats containing eight 18-pounder guns and 76 horses.

Supplies of Water.

Water lighters, towed by a tank steamer, were also timed to arrive at A beach at daylight. When they had been emptied they were to return at once to Kephalos to refill from the parent water ship.

A specially fitted out steamer, the Prah, with stores (shown by our experience of April 25 to be most necessary)—i. e., water pumps, hose, tanks, troughs, entrenching tools, and all ordnance stores requisite for the prompt development of wells or springs—was also sent to Suvla.

So much detail I have felt bound, for the sake of clearness, to give in the body of my dispatch. The further detail, showing numbers landed, etc., will be found in the appendix and tables attached.

When originally I conceived the idea of these operations, one of the first points to be weighed was that of the water supply in the Biyuk Anafarta vale, and the Suvla plain. Experience at Anzac had shown quite clearly that the whole plan must be given up unless a certain amount of water could be counted upon, and, fortunately, the information I received was reassuring. But in case of accidents, and to be on the safe side, so long ago as June had I begun to take steps to counter the chance that we might, from one cause or another, find difficulty in developing the wells. Having got from the War Office all that they could give me, I addressed myself to India and Egypt, and eventually from these three sources I managed to secure portable receptacles for 100,000 gallons, including petrol tins, milk cans, camel tanks, water bags, and pakhals.

Supplementing these were lighters and water ships, all under naval control. Indeed, by arrangement with the Admiral, the responsibility of the army was confined to the emptying of the lighters and the distribution of the water to the troops, the navy undertaking to bring the full lighters to the shore to replace the empty ones, thus providing a continuous supply.

Finally, 5700 mules, together with 1750 water carts, were provided for Anzac and Suvla—this in addition to 950 mules already at Anzac. Representatives of the Director of Supplies and Transport at Suvla and Anzac were sent to allot the transport which was to be used for carrying up whatever was most needed by units ashore, whether water, food or ammunition.

This statement, though necessarily brief, will, I hope, suffice to throw some light upon the complexity of the arrangements thought out beforehand in order, so far as was humanly possible, to combat the disorganization, the hunger and the thirst which lie in wait for troops landing on a hostile beach.

On the evening of Aug. 6 the Eleventh Division sailed on its short journey from Imbros (Kephalos) to Suvla Bay and, meeting with no mischance, the landing took place, the brigades of the Eleventh Division getting ashore practically simultaneously; the Thirty-second and Thirty-third Brigades at B and C beaches, the Thirty-fourth at A beach.

Turks Completely Surprised.

The surprise of the Turks was complete. At B and C the beaches were found to be admirably suited to their purpose, and there was no opposition. The landing at A was more difficult, both because of the shoal water and because there the Turkish pickets and sentries—the normal guardians of the coast—were on the alert and active. Some of the lighters grounded a good way from the shore, and men had to struggle towards the beach in as much as 4 feet 6 inches of water. Ropes in several instances were carried from the lighters to the shore to help to sustain the heavily accountered infantry. To add to the difficulties of the Thirty-fourth Brigade the lighters came un-

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der flanking rifle fire from the Turkish outposts at Lala Baba and Ghazi Baba. The enemy even, knowing every inch of the ground, crept down in the very dark night on to the beach itself, mingling with our troops and getting between our firing line and its supports. Fortunately the number of these enterprising foes was but few, and an end was soon put to their activity on the actual beaches by the sudden storming of Lala Baba from the south. This attack carried out by the Ninth West Yorkshire Regiment and the Sixth Yorkshire Regiment, both of the Thirty-second Brigade, which had landed at B beach and marched up along the coast. The assault succeeded at once and without much loss, but both battalions deserve great credit for the way it was delivered in the inky darkness of the night.

The Thirty-second Brigade was now pushed on to the support of the Thirty-fourth Brigade, which was held up by another outpost of the enemy on Hill 10 (127 R and S), and it is feared that some of the losses incurred here were due to misdirected fire. While the fighting was still in progress the Eleventh Battalion Manchester Regiment of the Thirty-fourth Brigade, was advancing northwards in very fine style, driving the enemy opposed to them back along the ridge of the Karakol Dagh towards the Kiretch Tepe Sirt. Beyond doubt, these Lancashire men earned much distinction, fighting with great pluck and grit against an enemy not very numerous, perhaps, but having an immense advantage in knowledge of the ground. As they got level with Hill 10 it grew light enough to see, and the enemy began to shell. No one seems to have been present who could take hold of the two brigades, the Thirty-second and Thirty-fourth, and launch them in a concerted and cohesive attack. Consequently there was confusion and hesitation, increased by gorse fires lit by hostile shell, but redeemed, I am proud to report, by the conspicuously fine, soldierly conduct of several individual battalions. The whole of the Turks locally available were by now in the field, and they were encouraged to counter-attack by the signs of hesitation, but the Ninth Lancashire Fusiliers and the Eleventh Manchester Regiment took them on with the bayonet, and fairly drove them back in disorder over the flaming Hill 10.

As the infantry were thus making good, the two Highland mountain batteries and one battery, Fifty-ninth Brigade, Royal Field Artillery, were landed at B Beach. Day was now breaking and with the dawn sailed into the bay six battalions of the Tenth Division, under Brigadier-General Hill, from Mitylene.

The Navy's Achievement.

Here, perhaps, I may be allowed to express my gratitude to the Royal Navy for their share in this remarkable achievement, as well as a very natural pride at staff arrangements, which resulted in the infantry of a whole division and three batteries being landed during a single night on a hostile shore, whilst the arrival of the first troops of the supporting division, from another base distant 120 miles, took place at the very psychological moment when support was most needed, namely, at break of dawn.

The intention of the corps commander was to keep the Tenth Division on the left, and with it to push on as far forward as possible along the Kiretch Tepe Sirt towards the heights above Ejelmer Bay. He wished, therefore, to land these six battalions of the Tenth Division at A beach, and, seeing Brigadier-General Hill, he told him that as the left of the Thirty-fourth Brigade was being hard pressed, he should get into touch with General Officer Commanding Eleventh Division and work in support of his left until the arrival of his own divisional General. But the naval authorities, so Gen. Stopford reports, were unwilling, for some reason not specified, to land these troops at A beach so that they had to be sent in lighters to C beach, whence they marched by Lala Baba to Hill 10, under fire. Hence were caused loss, delay and fatigue. Also the angle of direction from which these fresh troops entered the fight was not nearly so effective.

The remainder of the Tenth Division, three battalions (from Mudros), and with them the General Officer Commanding, Lieutenant-General Sir I. B. Mahonn, began to arrive and the naval authorities having discovered a suitable landing place near Ghazi Baba, these battalions were landed there, together with one battalion of the Thirty-first Brigade, which had not yet been sent round to C beach. By this means it was hoped that both the brigades of the Tenth Division would be able to rendezvous about half a mile to the northwest of Hill 10.

Irish Brigade Bore the Brunt.

After the defeat of the enemy round and about Hill 10, they retreated in an easterly direction towards Sulajik and Kuchuk Anafarta Ova, followed by the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-second Brigades of the Eleventh Division and by the Thirty-first Brigade of the Tenth Division, which had entered into the fight, not, as the Corps Commander had intended, on the left of the Eleventh Division, but between Hill 10 and the Salt Lake. I have failed in my endeavors to get some live human detail about the fighting which followed, but I understand from the Corps Commander that the brunt of it fell upon the Thirty-first Brigade of the Tenth (Irish) Division, which consisted of the Sixth Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, the Sixth Royal Dublin Fusiliers, the last-named battalion being attached to the Thirty-first Brigade.

By the evening Gen. Hammersley had seized Yilghin Burnu (Chocolate Hills) after a fight for which he specially commends the Sixth Lincoln Regiment and the Sixth Border Regiment. At the same time he reported that he was unable to make any further progress towards the vital point, Ismail Oglu Tepe. At nightfall his brigade and the Thirty-first Brigade were extended from about Hetman Chair through Chocolate Hills, Sulajik, to near Kuchuk Anafarta Ova.

This same day Sir B. Mahon delivered a spirited attack along the Kiretch Tepe Sirt ridge, in support of the Eleventh Battalion Manchester Regiment, and, taking some small trenches en route, secured and established himself on a position extending from the sea about 135 p., through the high ground about the p. of Kiretch Tepe Sirt to about 135 Z. 3. In front of him, on the ridge, he reported the enemy to be strongly entrenched. The Sixth Royal Munster Fusiliers have been named as winning special distinction here. The whole advance was well carried out by the Irishmen over difficult ground against an enemy—500 to 700 Gendarmerie—favored by the lie of the land.

The weather was very hot and the new troops suffered much from want of water. Except at the southernmost extremity of the Kiretch Tepe Sirt ridge, there was no water in that part of the field, and although it existed in some abundance throughout the area over which the Eleventh Division was operating, the corps commander reports that there was no time to develop its resources. Partly this seems to have been owing to the enemy's fire; partly to a want of that nous which stands by as second nature to the old campaigner; partly it was inevitable. Anyway, for as long as such a state of things lasted, the troops became dependent on the lighters, and upon the water brought to the beaches in tins, pakhals, etc.

Exhausted Troops.

Undoubtedly the distribution of this water to the advancing troops was a matter of great difficulty, and one which required not only well worked-out schemes from corps and division staffs, but also energy and experience on the part of those who had to put them into practice. As it turned out, and judging merely by results, I regret to say that the measures actually taken in regard to the distribution proved to be inadequate, and that suffering and disorganization ensued. The disembarkation of artillery horses was therefore at once, and rightly, postponed by the corps commander, in order that mules might be landed to carry up water.

And now Gen. Stopford, recollecting the vast issues which hung upon his success in forestalling the enemy, urged his divisional commanders to push on. Otherwise, as he saw, all the advantages of the surprise landing must be nullified. But the divisional commanders believed themselves, it seems, to be unable to move. Their men, they said, were exhausted by their efforts of the night of the 6th-7th, and by the action of the 7th. The want of water had told on the new troops. The distribution from the beaches had not worked smoothly. In some cases the hose had been pierced by individuals wishing to fill their own bottles; in others lighters had grounded so far from the beach that men swam out to fill batches of water bottles. All this had added to the disorganization inevitable after a night landing, followed by fights here and there with an enemy scattered over a country to us unknown. These pleas for delay were perfectly well founded.

But it seems to have been overlooked that the half-defeated Turks in front of us were equally exhausted and disorganized, and that an advance was the simplest and swiftest method of solving the water trouble and every other sort of trouble. Be this as it may, the objections overbore the corps commander's resolution. He had now got ashore three batteries (two of them mountain batteries), and the great guns of the ships were ready to speak at his request. But it was lack of artillery support which finally decided him to acquiesce in a policy of going slow, which, by the time it reached the troops, became translated into a period of inaction. The division generals were, in fact, informed that, "in view of the inadequate artillery support," Gen. Stopford did not wish them to make frontal attacks on entrenched positions, but desired them, so far as was possible, to try and turn any trenches which were met with.

Within the terms of this instruction lies the root of our failure to make use of the priceless daylight hours of Aug. 8. Normally, it may be correct to say that in modern warfare infantry cannot be expected to advance without artillery preparation. But in a landing on a hostile shore the order has to be inverted. The infantry must advance and seize a suitable position to cover the landing, and to provide artillery positions for the main thrust. The very existence of the force, its water supply, its facilities for munitions and supplies, its power to reinforce, must absolutely depend on the infantry being able instantly to make good sufficient ground without the aid of the artillery other than can be supplied for the purpose by floating batteries.

This is not a condition that should take the commander of a covering force by surprise. It is one already foreseen. Driving power was required, and even a certain ruthlessness, to brush aside pleas for a respite for tired troops. The one fatal error was inertia. And inertia prevailed.

Late in the evening of the 7th the enemy had withdrawn the few guns which had been in action during the day. Beyond half a dozen shells dropped from very long range into the bay in the early morning of the 8th, no enemy artillery fired that day in the Suvla area. The guns had evidently been moved back, lest they should be captured when we pushed forward. As for the intrenched positions, these, in the ordinary acceptance of the term, were nonexistent. The general staff officer whom I had sent on to Suvla early in the morning of the 8th reported by telegraph the absence of hostile gun fire, the small amount of rifle fire and the enemy's apparent weakness. He also drew attention to the inaction of our own troops, and to the fact that golden opportunities were being missed. Before this message arrived at general headquarters I had made up my mind, from the corps commander's own reports, that all was not well at Suvla. There was risk in cutting myself adrift, even temporarily, from touch with the operations at Anzac and Helles, but I did my best to provide against any sudden call by leaving Major-General W. P. Braithwaite, my chief of the general staff, in charge, with instructions to keep me closely informed of events at the other two fronts, and, having done this, I took ship and set out for Suvla.

Sir I. Hamilton Lands.

On arrival, at about 5 p. m., I boarded his majesty's ship Jonquil, where I found corps headquarters, and where Gen. Stopford informed me that the general officer commanding the Eleventh Division was confident of success in an attack he was to make at dawn next morning (the 9th). I felt no such confidence. Beyond a small advance by a part of the Eleventh Division between the Chocolate Hills and Ismail Oglu Tepe, and some further progress along the Kiretch Tepe Sirt ridge by the Tenth Division, the day of the 8th had been lost. The commander of the Eleventh Division had, it seems, ordered strong patrols to be pushed forward, so as to make good all the strong positions in advance which could be occupied without serious fighting; but, as he afterwards reported, "little was done in this respect." Thus a priceless 12 hours had already gone to help the chances of the Turkish reinforcements which were, I knew, both from naval and aerial sources, actually on the march for Suvla. But when I urged that even now, at the eleventh hour, the Eleventh Division should make a concerted attack upon the hills, I was met by a non possumus. The objections of the morning were no longer valid; the men were now well rested, watered and fed. But the divisional commanders disliked the idea of an advance by night, and Gen. Stopford did not care, it seemed, to force their hands.

So it came about that I was driven to see whether I could not, myself, put concentration of effort and purpose into the direction of the large number of men ashore. The corps commander made no objection. He declared himself to be as eager as I could be to advance. The representations made by the divisional commanders had seemed to him insuperable. If I could see my way to get over them no one would be more pleased than himself.

Accompanied by Commodore Roger Keyes and Lieutenant-Colonel Aspinall of the headquarters general staff, I landed on the beach, where all seemed quiet and peaceful, and saw the commander of the Eleventh Division, Major-General Hammersley. I warned him the sands were running out fast, and that by dawn the high ground to his front might very likely be occupied in force by the enemy. He saw the danger, but declared that it was a physical impossibility, at so late an hour (6 p. m.) to get out orders for a night attack, the troops being very much scattered. There was no other difficulty now, but this was insuperable; he could not recast his orders to get them round to his troops in time. But one brigade, the thirty-second, was, so Gen. Hammersley admitted, more or less concentrated and ready to move.

Story of a Brigade.

The general staff officer of the division, Col. Neil Malcolm, a soldier of experience, on whose opinion I set much value, was consulted. He agreed that the Thirty-second Brigade was now in a position to act. I therefore issued a direct order that, even if it were only with this Thirty-second Brigade, the advance should begin at the earliest possible moment, so that a portion at least of the Eleventh Division should anticipate the Turkish reinforcements on the heights and dig themselves in there upon some good tactical point.

In taking upon myself the serious responsibility of thus dealing with a detail of divisional tactics I was careful to limit the scope of the interference. Beyond directing that the one brigade which was reported ready to move at once should try and make good the heights before the enemy got on to them, I did nothing, and said not a word calculated to modify or in any way affect the attack already planned for the morning. Out of the 13 battalions which were to have advanced against the heights at dawn, four were now to anticipate that movement by trying to make good the key of the enemy's position at once and under cover of darkness.

I have not been able to get a clear and coherent account of the doing of the Thirty-second Brigade, but I have established the fact that it did not actually commence its advance till 4 a. m. on Aug. 9. The reason given is that the units of the brigade were scattered. In Gen. Stopford's dispatch he says that "One company of the Sixth East York Pioneer Battalion succeeded in getting to the top of the hill north of Anafarta Sagir, but the rest of the battalion and the Thirty-second Brigade were attacked from both flanks during their advance, and fell back to a line north and south of Sulajik. Very few of the leading company or the Royal Engineers who accompanied it got back, and that evening the strength of the battalion was 9 officers and 380 men."

After their retirement from the hill north of Anafarta Sagir (which commanded the whole battlefield) this Thirty-second Brigade then still marked the high-water level of the advance made at dawn by the rest of the division. When their first retirement was completed they had to fall back further, so as to come into line with the most forward of their comrades. The inference seems clear. Just as the Thirty-second Brigade in their advance met with markedly less opposition than the troops who attacked an hour and a half later, so, had they themselves started earlier, they would probably have experienced less opposition. Further, it seems reasonable to suppose that had the complete division started at 4 a. m. on the 9th, or, better still, at 10 p. m. on the 8th, they would have made good the whole of the heights in front of them.

That night I stayed at Suvla, preferring to drop direct cable contact with my operations as a whole to losing touch with a corps battle which seemed to be going wrong.

Brave Herefords.

At dawn on the 9th I watched Gen. Hammersley's attack, and very soon realized, by the well-sustained artillery fire of the enemy (so silent the previous day) and by the volume of the musketry that Turkish reinforcements had arrived; that with the renewed confidence caused by our long delay the guns had been bought back; and that, after all, we were forestalled. This was a bad moment. Our attack failed; our losses were very serious. The enemy's enfilading shrapnel fire seemed to be especially destructive and demoralizing, the shell bursting low and all along our line. Time after time it threw back our attack just as it seemed upon the point of making good. The Thirty-third Brigade at first made most hopeful progress in its attempt to seize Ismail Oglu Tepe. Some of the leading troops gained the summit, and were able to look over on to the other side. Many Turks were killed here. Then the center seemed to give way. Whether this was the result of the shrapnel fire, or whether, as some say, an order to retire came up from the rear, the result was equally fatal to success. As the center fell back the steady, gallant behavior of the Sixth Battalion, Border Regiment and the Sixth Battalion Lincoln Regiment, on either flank, was especially noteworthy. Scrub fires on Hill 70 did much to harass and hamper our troops. When the Thirty-second Brigade fell back before attacks from the slopes of the hill north of Anafarta Sagir and from the direction of Abrijak they took up the line north and south through Sulajik. Here their left was protected by two battalions of the Thirty-fourth Brigade, which came up to their support. The line was later on prolonged by the remainder of the Thirty-fourth Brigade and two battalions of the One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Brigade of the Fifty-third Division. Their right was connected with the Chocolate Hills by the Thirty-third Brigade on the position to which they had returned after their repulse from the upper slopes of Ismail Oglu Tepe.

Some of the units which took part in this engagement acquitted themselves very bravely. I regret I have not had sufficient detail given me to enable me to mention them by name. The divisional commander speaks with appreciation of one freshly-landed battalion of the Fifty-third Division, a Herefordshire battlion, presumably the One Hundred and First Herefordshire, which attacked with impetuosity and courage between Hetman Chair and Kaslar Chair, about Asmak Dere, on the extreme right of his line.

No Regular Troops.

During the night of the 8th-9th and early morning of the 9th the whole of the Fifty-third (Territorial) Division (my general reserve) had arrived and disembarked. I had ordered it up to Suvla, hoping that by adding its strength to the Ninth Corps, Gen. Stopford might still be enabled to secure the commanding ground round the bay. The infantry brigades of the Fifty-third Division (no artillery had accompanied it from England) reinforced the Eleventh Division.

On Aug. 10 the corps commander decided to make another attempt to take the Anafarta ridge. The Eleventh Division were not sufficiently rested to play a prominent part in the operation, but the Fifty-third Division, under Gen. Lindley, was to attack, supported by Gen. Hammersley. On the 10th there were one brigade of Royal Field Artillery ashore, with two mountain batteries, and all the ships' guns were available to co-operate. But the attack failed, though the corps commander considers that seasoned troops would have succeeded, especially as the enemy were showing signs of being shaken by our artillery fire. Gen. Stopford points out, however, and rightly so, that the attack was delivered over very difficult country, and that it was a high trial for troops who had never been in action before, and with no regulars to set a standard. Many of the battalions fought with great gallantry, and were led forward with much devotion by their officers. At a moment when things were looking dangerous, two battalions of the Eleventh Division (not specified by the corps commander) rendered very good service on the left of the Territorials. At the end of the day our troops occupied the line hill east of Chocolate Hill—Sulajik, whilst the enemy—who had been ably commanded throughout—were still receiving reinforcements, and, apart from their artillery, were three times as strong as they had been on Aug. 7.

Orders were issued to the general officer commanding Ninth Corps to take up and entrench a line across the whole front from near the Azmak Dere, through the knoll east of the Chocolate Hill, to the ground held by the Tenth Division about Kiretch Tepe Sirt. Gen. Stopford took advantage of this opportunity to reorganize the divisions, and, as there was a gap in the line between the left of the Fifty-third Division and the right of the Tenth Division, gave orders for the preparation of certain strong points to enable it to be held.

The Fifty-fourth Division (infantry only) arrived, and were disembarked on Aug. 11 and placed in reserve. On the following day—Aug. 12—I proposed that the Fifty-fourth Division should make a night march in order to attack, at dawn on the 13th, the heights Kavak Tepe—Teke Tepe. The corps commander, having reason to believe that the inclosed country about Kuchuk Anafarta Ova and the north of it was held by the enemy, ordered one brigade to move forward in advance, and make good Kuchuk Anafarta Ova, so as to insure an unopposed march for the remainder of the division as far as that place. So that afternoon the One Hundred and Sixty-third Brigade moved off, and, in spite of serious opposition, established itself about the A. of Anafarta (118m. 4 and 7), in difficult and inclosed country.

"Not One Came Back."

In the course of the fight, creditable in all respect to the One Hundred and Sixty-third Brigade, there happened a very mysterious thing. The Fifteenth Norfolks were on the right of the line, and found themselves for a moment less strongly opposed than the rest of the brigade. Against the yielding forces of the enemy Col. Sir H. Beauchamp, a bold, self-confident officer, eagerly pressed forward, followed by the best part of the battalion. The fighting grew hotter and the ground became more wooded and broken. At this stage many men were wounded or grew exhausted with thirst. These found their way back to camp during the night. But the Colonel, with 16 officers and 250 men, still kept pushing on, driving the enemy before him. Amongst these ardent souls was part of a fine company enlisted from the King's Sandringham estates. Nothing more was ever seen or heard of any of them. They charged into the forest and were lost to sight or sound. Not one of them ever came back.

The night march and projected attack were now abandoned, owing to the corps commander's representations as to the difficulties of keeping the division supplied with food, water, etc., even should they gain the height. Gen. Girdwood had hoped he would soon be able to make a fresh attack on Sari Bair, provided that he might reckon on a corresponding vigorous advance to be made by the Eleventh and Fifty-fourth divisions on Ismail Oglu Tepe. On Aug. 13 I so informed Gen. Stopford. But when it came to business, Gen. Birdwood found he could not yet carry out his new attack on Sari Bair—and, indeed, could only help the Ninth Corps with one brigade from Damakjelik Bair. I was obliged, therefore, to abandon this project for the nonce, and directed Gen. Stopford to confine his attention to strengthening his line across his present front. To straighten out the left of this line, Gen. Stopford ordered the general officer commanding the Tenth Division to advance on the following day (Aug. 15) so as to gain possession of the crest of the Kiretch Tepe Sirt, the Fifty-fourth Division to co-operate.

A Charge of Command.

The Thirtieth and Thirty-first infantry brigades of the Tenth Irish Division were to attack frontally along the high ridge. The One Hundred and Sixty-second Infantry Brigade of the Fifty-fourth Division were to support on the right. The infantry were to be seconded by a machine-gun detachment of the Royal Naval Air Service, by the guns of his majesty's ship Grampus and his majesty's ship Foxhound, from the Gulf of Saros, by the Argyll Mountain Battery, the Fifteenth Heavy Battery and the Fifty-eighth Field Battery. After several hours of indecisive artillery and musketry fighting, the Sixth Royal Dublin Fusiliers charged forward with loud cheers, and captured the whole ridge, together with 13 prisoners. The vigorous support rendered by the naval guns was a feature of this operation. Unfortunately, the point of the ridge was hard to hold, and means for maintaining the forward trenches had not been well thought out. Casualties became very heavy, the Fifth Royal Irish Fusiliers having only one officer left, and the Fifth Inniskilling Fusiliers also losing heavily in officers. Reinforcements were promised, but before they could arrive the officer left in command decided to evacuate the front trenches. The strength of the Turks opposed to us was steadily rising, and had now reached 20,000.

On the evening of Aug. 15 Gen. Stopford handed over command of the Ninth Corps.

The units of the Tenth and Eleventh divisions had shown their mettle when they leaped into the water to get more quickly to close quarters, or when they stormed Lala Baba in the darkness. They had shown their resolution later when they tackled the Chocolate Hills and drove the enemy from Hill 10 right back out of rifle range from the beaches.

Then had come hesitation. The advantage had not been pressed. The senior commanders at Suvla had had no personal experience of the new trench warfare; of the Turkish methods; of the paramount importance of time. Strong, clear leadership had not been promptly enough applied. These were the reasons which induced me, with your lordship's approval, to appoint Major-General H. de B. de Lisle to take over temporary command.

I had already seen Gen. de Lisle on his way from Cape Helles, and my formal instructions—full copy in appendix—were handed to him by my chief of the general staff. Under these he was to make it his most pressing business to get the corps into fighting trim again, so that as big a proportion of it as possible might be told off for a fresh attack upon Ismail Oglu Tepe and the Anafarta spur. At his disposal were placed the Tenth Division (less one brigade), the Eleventh Division, the Fifty-[illegible] and Fifty-fourth divisions—a force imposing enough on paper, but totally [illegible] owing to casualties, under 20,000 rifles.

50,000 Fresh Rifles Asked.

The fighting strength of ourselves and of our adversaries stood at this time at about the following figures: Lieutenant-General Birdwood commanding [illegible] 600 rifles, at Anzac; Lieutenant-General Davies, in the southern zone, commanding 23,000 rifles; whilst the French corps alongside of him consisted of some 17,000 rifles. The Turks had been very active in the south, doubtless to prevent us reinforcing Anzac or Suvla, but it is doubtful if there were more than 35,000 of them in that region. The bulk of the enemy were engaged against Anzac or were in reserve in the valleys east and north of Sari Bair. Their strength was estimated at 75,000 rifles.

The Turks, then, I reckoned, had 40,000 rifles to our 35,000, and held all the advantages of ground; they had plenty of ammunition, also drafts wherewith to refill ranks depleted in action within two or three days. My hopes that these drafts would be of poor quality had been every time disappointed. After weighing all these points, I sent a long cable. In it I [illegible] campaign was to be [illegible] victorious decision, [illegible] must at once be sent. I pointed out, was already there was not a moment that time (Aug. 10) we alone were 48,000 and some of my fighting [illegible] dwindled down so far [illegible] withdraw them from [illegible] our most vital need [illegible] ishment of these reinforcements. When that was done, fresh rifles. From what I knew of the Turkish situation, both [illegible] general aspects, it was [illegible] speaking, a certainty [illegible] could be sent to me [illegible] will clear a passage [illegible] Constantinople.

It may be judged, then, of my disappointment when the essential drafts, the munitions could not be [illegible] reason being one which [illegible] from any further increase [illegible] solved to do my very best [illegible] means at my disposal to [illegible] inforced the northern [illegible] Second Mounted Division [illegible] dismounted troops) from [illegible] Twenty-ninth Division [illegible] gan area. These moves, [illegible] work of getting the New [illegible] touched divisions into [illegible] time, and it was not until [illegible] I was ready to renew the [illegible] tack to be carried out [illegible] ent conditions from those [illegible] and 7.

Enemy Intentions.

The enemy's position [illegible] rapidly instrenched, and [illegible] depend on receiving [illegible] I was faced with the [illegible] could not drive the Turks [illegible] lose so many men [illegible] myself unable to hold [illegible] new area of ground [illegible] gained. I therefore [illegible] every available man [illegible] Tepe, a sine qua non [illegible] er as a first step to [illegible] valley, or, if this proved [illegible] wards securing Suvla [illegible] Cove from shell fire.

The scheme for the [illegible] planned by Gen. de [illegible] third and Fifty-fourth [illegible] to hold the enemy from [illegible] retch Tepe Sirt while [illegible] Division and Eleventh [illegible] Ismail Oglu Tepe. The [illegible] Division and the Second [illegible] ion, were retained [illegible] arranged that Gen. [illegible] operate by swinging [illegible] flank to Susuk Kuyu [illegible] hula. Naturally I should [illegible] further to extend the [illegible] tack by ordering at [illegible] Ninth Corps all along [illegible] many of the battalions [illegible] highly tried and I felt [illegible] upon them for another [illegible] The attack would of [illegible] it was an essential [illegible] progress was to be [illegible] the Anafarta ridge. [illegible] the enemy would be [illegible] through the gap between [illegible] fartas, and then, so [illegible] would find no difficulty [illegible]

New Attack.

My special objective [illegible] forms the southwest [illegible] farta Sagir spur. [illegible] It is called, forms a [illegible] fier against an invader [illegible] who might wish to [illegible] the Anafartas. The [illegible] from the plain, with [illegible] cut to the west [illegible] whole of it covered [illegible] talk scrub, so nearly [illegible] It breaks up an attack [illegible] to move in single file [illegible] between the bushes. [illegible] small number of guns [illegible] was a weakness, see[illegible] storm trenches, but there [illegible] fears to back us, and [illegible] ment was limited [illegible] of a mile, it was hoped [illegible] find themselves [illegible] trenches and that [illegible] charge would carry [illegible] top of the crest.

Our chief difficulty [illegible] nature and shallow [illegible] available for the [illegible] tack. The only cover [illegible] the hill Lala Baba, [illegible] sea, and Yilghin [illegible] from the Turkish [illegible] tween these two [illegible] The Twenty-ninth [illegible] to make the attack [illegible] cupied the front trench [illegible] ceding night; the [illegible] which was to attack [illegible] cupied the front trench [illegible] of Yilghin Burnu.

By some freak of [illegible] and plain were wrong [illegible] ist on the afternoon [illegible] was sheer bad luck, [illegible] the enemy's gunners [illegible] the declining sun as [illegible] trenches being shot [illegible] light, with singular [illegible] have been the case [illegible] hundred. Actually, [illegible] see the enemy line [illegible] whereas, out to the [illegible] stood out in strong [illegible] luminous mist. [illegible] the attack, but for [illegible] was not possible, and [illegible] to 3 p. m. a heavy [illegible] artillery bombardment [illegible] ses was directed [illegible] first line of trenches [illegible] guns in position on [illegible] what they could to [illegible]

March of the Infantry.

At 3 p. m. an advance [illegible] the infantry on the [illegible] The Thirty-fourth Brigade [illegible] enth Division rushed [illegible] trenches between [illegible] Aire Kavak, practically [illegible] but the Thirty-second [illegible] against Hetman Chair [illegible] munication trench [illegible] with the southwest [illegible] Oglu Tepe spur, failed [illegible] point. The brigade [illegible] the first instance, [illegible] instead of east, and [illegible] ed to carry the [illegible] from the northeast [illegible] and great disregard [illegible] succeeded in reaching [illegible] talus. The Thirty-[illegible] to in haste with [illegible] communication trench [illegible] into precisely the [illegible] it marching northeast [illegible] es of to Susuk Kuyu [illegible]

Meanwhile the Tenth [illegible] whose attack had [illegible] p. m., had attacked [illegible] 30 with great dash [illegible] enth Brigade, on [illegible] trenches on [illegible]

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It may be judged, then, how deep was my disappointment when I learnt that the essential drafts, reinforcements and munitions could not be sent to me, the reason being one which prevented me from any further insistence. So I resolved to do my very best with the means at my disposal, and forthwith reinforced the northern wing with the Second Mounted Division (organized as dismounted troops) from Egypt and the Twenty-ninth Division from the southern area. These movements, and the work of getting the Ninth Corps and attached divisions into battle array took time, and it was not until the 21st that I was ready to renew the attack—an attack to be carried out under very different conditions from those of Aug. 7 and 8.

Enemy Intrenched.

The enemy's positions were now being rapidly instrenched, and, as I could not depend on receiving reinforcing drafts, I was faced with the danger that if I could not drive the Turks back I might lose so many men that I would find myself unable to hold the very extensive new area of ground which had been gained. I therefore decided to mass every available man against Ismail Oglu Tepe, a sine qua non to my plans whether as a first step towards clearing the valley, or, if this proved impossible, towards securing Suvla Bay and Anzac Cove from shell fire.

The scheme for this attack was well planned by Gen. de Lisle. The Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth divisions were to hold the enemy from Sulajik to Kiretch Tepe Sirt while the Twenty-ninth Division and Eleventh Division stormed Ismail Oglu Tepe. Two brigades, Tenth Division and the Second Mounted Division, were retained in corps reserve. I arranged that Gen. Birdwood should cooperate by swinging forward his left flank to Susuk Kuyu and Kalajik Aghala. Naturally I should have liked still further to extend the scope of my attack by ordering an advance of the Ninth Corps all along their line, but many of the battalions had been too highly tried and I felt it unwise to call upon them for another effort so soon. The attack would only be partial, but it was an essential attack if any real progress was to be made. Also, once the Anafarta ridge was in my hands, the enemy would be unable to reinforce through the gap between the two Anafartas, and then, so I believed, my left would find no difficulty in getting on.

New Attack Launched.

My special objective was the hill which forms the southwest corner of the Anafarta Sagir spur, Ismail Oglu Tepe, as it is called, forms a strong natural barrier against an invader from the Aegean who might wish to march direct against the Anafartas. The hill rises 330 feet from the plain, with steep spurs jutting out to the west and southwest, the whole of it covered with dense holly oak scrub, so nearly impenetrable that it breaks up an attack and forces troops to move in single file along goat tracks between the bushes. The comparatively small number of guns landed up to date was a weakness, seeing we had now to storm trenches, but the battleships were there to back us, and as the bombardment was limited to a narrow front of a mile, it was hoped the troops would find themselves able to carry the trenches and that the impetus of the energy would carry them up to the top of the crest.

Our chief difficulty lay in the open nature and shallow depth of the ground available for the concentration for attack. The only cover we possessed was the hill Lala Baba, 200 yards from the sea, and Yilghin Burnu, half a mile from the Turkish front, the ground between these two being an exposed plain. The Twenty-ninth Division, which was to make the attack on the left, occupied the front trenches during the preceding night; the Eleventh Division, which was to attack on the right, occupied the front trenches on the right of Yilghin Burnu.

By some freak of nature Suvla Bay and plain were wrapped in a strange mist on the afternoon of Aug. 21. This was sheer bad luck, as we reckoned on the enemy's gunners being blinded by the declining sun and upon the Turkish trenches being shown up by the evening light, with singular clearness, as would have been the case on 90 days out of a hundred. Actually, we could hardly see the enemy lines this afternoon, whereas, out to the westward targets stood out in strong relief against the luminous mist. I wished to postpone the attack, but for various reasons this was not possible, and so, from 2:30 p. m. to 5 p. m. a heavy but none too accurate artillery bombardment from land and sea was directed against the Turkish first line of trenches, whilst 24 machine guns in position on Yilghin Burnu did what they could to lend a hand.

March of the Yeomen.

At 5 p. m. an advance was begun by the infantry on the right of the line. The Thirty-fourth Brigade of the Eleventh Division rushed the Turkish trenches between Hetman Chair and Abu Kavak, practically without loss, but the Thirty-second Brigade, directed against Hetman Chair and the communication trench connecting that point with the southwest corner of the Ismail Oglu Tepe spur, failed to make good its point. The brigade had lost direction in the first instance, moving northeast instead of east, and, though it attempted to carry the communication trench from the northeast with great bravery and great disregard of life, it never succeeded in rectifying the original mistake. The Thirty-third Brigade, sent in in haste with orders to capture this communication trench at all costs, fell into precisely the same error, part of it marching northeast and part southeast to Susuk Kuyu.

Meanwhile the Twenty-ninth Division, whose attack had been planned for 3:30 p. m., had attacked Scimitar Hill (Hill 100) with great dash. The Eighty-seventh Brigade, on the left, carried the trenches on Scimitar Hill, but the Eighty-sixth Brigade were checked and upset by a raging forest fire across their front. Eventually pressing on, they found themselves unable to advance up the valley between the two spurs, owing to the failure of the Thirty-second Brigade of the Eleventh Division on their right. The brigade then tried to attack eastwards, but were decimated by a cross-fire of shell and musketry from the north and southeast. The leading troops were simply swept off the top of the spur, and had to fall back to a ledge southwest of Scimitar Hill, where they found a little cover.

Whilst this fighting was in progress the Second Mounted Division moved out from Lala Baba in open formation to take up a position of readiness behind Yilghin Burnu. During this march they came under a remarkably steady and accurate artillery fire. The advance of these English Yeomen was a sight calculated to send a thrill of pride through anyone with a drop of English blood running in their veins. Such superb martial spectacles are rare in modern war. Ordinarily it should always be possible to bring up reserves under some sort of cover from shrapnel fire. Here, for a mile and a half, there was nothing to conceal a mouse, much less some of the most stalwart soldiers England has ever sent from her shores.

Advancing "by Inches."

Despite the critical events in other parts of the field, I could hardly take my glasses from the Yeomen; they moved like men marching on parade. Here and there a shell would take toll of a cluster; there they lay; there was no straggling; the others moved steadily on; not a man was there who hung back or hurried. But such an ordeal must consume some of the battle-winning fighting energy of those subjected to it, and it is lucky indeed for the Turks that the terrain, as well as the lack of trenches, forbade us from letting the Second Mounted Division loose at close quarters to the enemy without undergoing this previous too heavy baptism of fire.

Now that the Eleventh Division had made their effort, and failed, the Second South Midland Brigade (commanded by Brigadier-General Earl of Longford) was sent forward from its position of readiness begin Yilghin Burnu, in the hope that they might yet restore the fortunes of the day This brigade, in action for the first time, encountered both bush fires and musketry without flinching, but the advance had in places to be almost by inches, and the actual close attack by the Yeomen did not take place until night was fast falling. On the left they reached the foremost line of the Twenty-ninth Division, and on the right also they got as far as the leading battalions. But, as soon as it was dark, one regiment pushed up the valley between Scimitar Hill and Hill 100 (on Ismail Oglu Tepe), and carried the trenches on a small knoll near the center of this horseshoe.

The regiment imagined it had captured Hill 100, which would have been a very notable success, enabling, as it would, the whole of our line to hang on and dig in. But when the report came in some doubt was felt as to its accuracy, and a reconnaissance by staff officers showed that the knoll was a good way from Hill 100, and that a strongly-held semi-circle of Turkish trenches (the enemy having been heavily reinforced) still denied us access to the top of the hill. As the men were too done, and had lost too heavily to admit of a second immediate assault, and as the knoll actually held would have been swept by fire at daybreak, there was nothing for it but to fall back under cover of darkness to our original line. The losses in this attack fell most heavily on the Twenty-ninth Division. They were just under 5000.

"Individuals and Units."

I am sorry not to be able to give more detail as to the conduct of individuals and units during this battle. But the Second South Midland Brigade has been brought to my notice, and it consisted of the Bucks Yeomanry, the Berks Yeomanry and the Dorset Yeomanry. The Yeomanry fought very bravely, and on personal, as well as public, grounds, I specially deplore the loss of Brgadier-General Earl of Longford, K. P., M. V. O., and Brigadier-General P. A. Kenna, V. C., D. S. O., A. D. C.

The same day, as prearranged with Gen. Birwdood, a force consisting of two battalions of New Zealand Mounted Rifles, two battalions of the Twenty-ninth Irish Brigade, the Fourth South Wales Boderers and Twenty-Ninth Indian Infantry Brigade, the whole under command of Major-General H. V. Cox, was working independently to support the main attack.

Gen. Cox divided his force into three sections; the left section to press forward and establish a permanent hold on the existing lightly-held outpost line covering the junction of the Eleventh Division with the Anzac front; the center section to seize the well at Kabak Kuyu, an asset of utmost value, whether to ourselves or the enemy; the right section to attack and capture the Turkish trenches on the northeast side of the Kalajik Aghala.

The advance of the left section was a success; after a brisk engagement the well at Kabak Kuyu was seized by the Indian Brigade, and by 4:30 the right column, under Brigadier-General Russell, under heavy fire, effected a lodgment on the Kalajik Aghala, where our men intrenched and began to dig communications across the Kalajik Dere towards the lines of the Fourth Australian Brigade south of the Dere. A pretty stiff bomb fight ensued, in which Gen. Russell's troops held their own through the night against superior force. At 6 a. m. on the morning of Aug. 22 Gen. Russell, reinforced by the newly arrived Eighteenth Australian Battalion, attacked the summit of the Kalajik Aghala.

New Line Strengthened.

The Australians carried 150 yards of the trenches, losing heavily in so doing, and were then forced to fall back again owing to enfilade fire, though in the meantime the New Zealand Mounted Rifles managed, in spite of constant counter attacks, to make good another 80 yards. A counter attack in strength launched by the Turks at 10 a. m. was repulsed, the new line from the Kalajik Aghala to Susuk Kuyu was gradually strengthened, and eventually joined on to the right of the Ninth Army Corps, thereby materially improving the whole situation. During this action the Fourth Australian Brigade, which remained facing the Turks on the upper part of the Kalajik Ahala, was able to inflict several hundred casualties on the enemy as they retreated or endeavored to reinforce.

On Aug. 21 we had carried the Turkish intrenchments at several points, but had been unable to hold what we had gained, except along the section where Major-General Cox had made a good advance with Anzac and Indian troops. To be repulsed is not to be defeated, as long as the commander and his troops are game to renew the attack. All were eager for such a renewal of the offensive; but clearly we would have for some time to possess our souls in patience, seeing that reinforcement and munitions were short, that we were already outnumbered by the enemy, and that a serious outbreak of sickness showed how it had become imperative to give a spell of rest to the men who had been fighting so magnificently and so continuously. To calculate on rest, it may be suggested, was to calculate without the enemy. Such an idea has no true bearing on the feelings of the garrison of the peninsula. That the Turks should attack had always been the earnest prayer of all of us, just as much after Aug. 21 as before it. And, now that we had to suspend progress

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for a bit, work was put in hand upon the line from Suvla to Anzac, a minor offensive routine of sniping and bombing was organized, and, in a word, trench warfare set in on both sides.

On Aug. 24 Lieutenant-General the Hon J. H. G. Byng, K. C. M. G., C. B., M. V. O., assumed command of the Ninth Army Corps.

The last days of the month were illumined by a brilliant affair carried through by the troops under Gen. Birdwood's command. Our object was to complete the capture of Hill 60, north of the Kaiajik Oghala, commenced by Major-General Cox on Aug. 21. Hill 60 overlooked the Biyuk Anafarta valley and was therefore tactically a very important feature.

Hotly Contested Battle.

The conduct of the attack was again intrusted to Major-General Cox, at whose disposal were placed detachments from the Fourth and Fifth Australian brigades, the New Zealand Mounted Rifles Brigade, and the Fifth Connaught Rangers. The advance was timed to take place at 5 p. m. on Aug. 27, after the heaviest artillery bombardment we could afford. This bombardment seemed effective; but the moment the assailants broke cover they were greeted by an exceeding hot fire from the enemy field guns, rifles and machine guns, followed after a brief interval by a shower of heavy shell, some of which, most happily, pitched into the trenches of the Turks.

On the right of the detachment from the Fourth and Fifth Australian brigades could make no headway against a battery of machine guns which confronted them. In the center the New Zealanders made a most determined onslaught and carried one side of the topmost knoll. Hand-to-hand fighting continued here till 9:30 p. m., when it was reported that nine-tenths of the summit had been gained. On the left the 250 men of the Fifth Connaught Rangers excited the admiration of all beholders by the swiftness and cohesion of their charge. In five minutes they had carried their objective, the northern Turkish communications, when they at once set to and began a lively bomb fight along the trenches against strong parties which came hurrying up from the enemy supports and afterwards from their reserves.

At midnight fresh troops were to have strengthened our grip upon the hill, but before that hour the Irishmen had been out-bombed, and the Ninth Australia Light Horse, who had made a most plucky attempt to recapture the lost communication trench, had been repulsed. Luckily, the New Zealand Mounted Rifles refused to recognize that they were worsted. Nothing would shift them. All that night and all next day, through bombing, bayonet charges, musketry, shrapnel and heavy shell, they hung on to their 150 yards of trench. At 1 a. m. on Aug. 29 the Tenth Light Horse made another attack on the lost communication trenches to the left, carried them, and finally held them. This gave us complete command of the underfeature, an outlook over the Anafarta Sagir valley, and safer lateral communications between Anzac and Suvla Bay.

Our casualties in this hotly contested affair amounted to 1000. The Turks lost out of all proportion more. Their line of retreat was commanded from our Kaiajik Dere trenches, whence our observers were able to direct artillery fire equally upon their fugitives and their reinforcements. The same observers estimated the Turkish casualties as no less than 5000. Three Turkish machine guns and 46 prisoners were taken, as well as three trench mortars, 300 Turkish rifles, 60,000 rounds of ammunition and 500 bombs. Four hundred acres were added to the territories of Anzac. Major-General Cox showed his usual forethought and wisdom. Brigadier-General Russell fought his men splendidly.

Heavy Toll of Sickness.

My narrative of battle incidents must end here. From this date onwards up to the date of my departure on Oct. 17 the flow of munitions and drafts fell away. Sickness, the legacy of a desperately trying summer, took heavy toll of the survivors of so many arduous conflicts. No longer was there any question of operations on the grand scale, but with such troops it was difficult to be downhearted. All ranks were cheerful; all remained confident that, so long as they stuck to their guns, their country would stick to them and see them victoriously through the last and greatest of the crusades.

On Oct. 11 your lordship cabled asking me for an estimate of the losses which would be involved in an evacuation of the peninsula. On Oct. 12 I replied in terms showing that such a step to me was unthinkable. On Oct. 16 I received a cable recalling me to London for the reason, I was informed by your lordship on my arrival, that his majesty's Government desired a fresh, unbiased opinion, from a responsible commander, upon the question of early evacuation.

In bringing this dispatch to a close I wish to refer gratefully to the services rendered by certain formations whose work has so far only been recognized by a sprinkling of individual rewards.

Much might be written on the exploits of the Royal Naval Air Service, but those bold fliers are laconic, and their feats will mostly pass unrecorded. Yet let me here thank them, with their commander, Col. F. H. Sykes of the Royal Marines, for the nonchalance with which they appear to affront danger and death, when and where they can. So doing, they quicken the hearts of their friends on land and sea—an asset of greater military value even than their bombs or aerial reconnaissances, admirable in all respects as these were.

With them I also couple the Service de l'Aviation of the Corps Expeditionaire d'Orient, who daily wing their way in and out of the shrapnel under the distinguished leareship of M. le Captaine Cesari.

The Armored Car Division (Royal Naval Air Service) have never failed to respond to any call which might be made upon them. Their organization was 'broken up; their work had to be carried out under strange conditions—from the bows of the River Clyde, as independent batteries attached to infantry divisions, etc.—and yet they are always cheerful, always ready to lend a hand in any sort of fighting that might give them a chance of settling old scores with the enemy.

Next I come to the Royal Artillery. By their constant vigilance, by their quick grasp of the key to every emergency, by their thundering good shooting, by hundreds of deeds of daring, they have earned the unstinted admiration of all their comrade services. Where fought so remarkably, the junior officers deserve a little niche of their own in the Dardanelles record of fame. Their audacity in reconnaissance, their insouciance under the hottest fires, stand as a fine example, not only to the army, but to the nation at large.

Stretcher Bearers' Heroism.

A feature of every report, narrative or diary I have read has been a tribute to the stretcher bearers. All ranks, from Generals in command to wounded men in hospital, are unanimous in their praise. I have watched a party from the moment when the telephone summoned them from their dugout to the time when they returned with their wounded. To see them run light-heartedly across fire-swept slopes is to be privileged to witness a superb example of the hero in man. No braver corps exists, and I believe the reason to be that all thought of self is instinctively flung aside when the saving of others is the motive.

The services rendered by Major-General (temporarily Lieutenant-General) E. A. Altham, C. B., C. M. G., Inspector-General of Communications, and all the departments and services of the lines of communication assured us a life-giving flow of drafts, munitions and supplies. The work was carried out under unprecedented conditions, and is deserving, I submit, of handsome recognition.

With Gen. Altham were associated Brigadier-General (temporary Major-General) C. R. R. McGregor, C. B., at first commandant of the base at Alexandria and later Deputy Inspector-General of Communications, and Col. T. E. O'Leary, Deputy Adjutant-General, Third Echelon. Both of these officers carried out their difficult duties to my entire satisfaction.

My military secretary, Lieutenant-Colonel S. H. Pollen, has displayed first-class ability in the conduct of his delicate and responsible duties.

Also I take the opportunity of my last dispatch to mention two of my aids-de-camp—Maj. F. L. Kakgill-Crichton-Maitland, Gordon Highlanders; Lieut. the Hon. G. St. J. Brodrick, Surrey Yeomanry.

I have many other names to bring to notice for distinguished and gallant service during the operations under review, and these will form the subject of a separate communication.

And now, before affixing to this dispatch my final signature as Commander in Chief of the Mediterranean expeditionary force, let me first pay tribute to the everlasting memory of my dear comrades who will return no more. Next, let me thank each and all, Generals, staff, regimental leaders and rank and file, for their wonderful loyalty, patience and self-sacrifice. Our progress was constant, and if it was painfully slow—they know the truth. So I bid them all farewell with a special godspeed to the campaigners who have served with me right through from the terrible yet most glorious earlier days—the incomparable Twenty-ninth Division, the young veterans of the Naval Division, the ever victorious Australians and New Zealanders, the stout East Lancas and my own brave fellow-countrymen of the Lowland Division of Scotland. I have the honor to be, your lordship's most obedient servant.

IAN HAMILTON,
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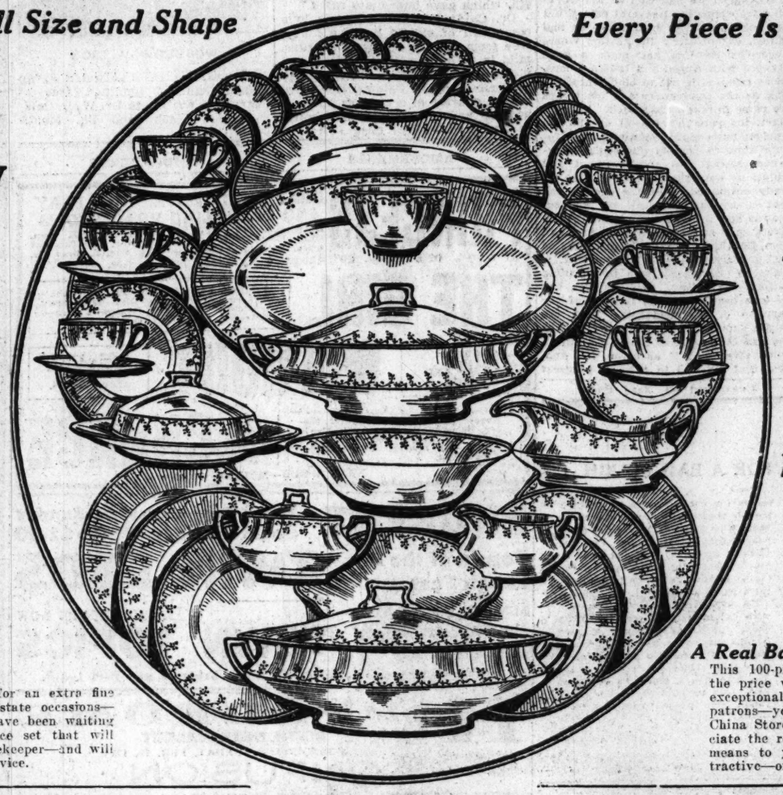
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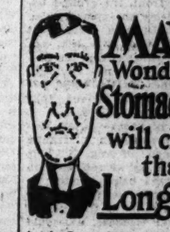
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By W. H. JAMES

ARABELLA'S VALENTINE.



MISS ARABELLA SIMPKINS BROWN for valentines went shopping,
Meandering all about the town with never thought of stopping.
She saw a lovely one in pink with violets upon it,
The price of which, 'twas sad to think, would almost buy a bonnet.
Whereat she sought another place, intent upon selection,
And bleeding hearts and paper lace were spread for her inspection.
Now here a Cupid bent his bow, and there an arrow quivered,
Or here, knee deep in glistening snow, knocked on a door and shivered.
She found a wealth of jingling rhyme from gay to sentimental,
Poetic feet all keeping time in phalanx regimental.
Her pretty head was in a whirl, her pulses were a-hopping,
As often happens to a girl for valentines a-shopping.
And then the queerest thing occurred; she saw a lovely bonnet,
Whereon, forgetting Cupid's word and sprightly verse and sonnet,
She went and bought that gorgeous hat with nearly all her money;
It was a bargain, too, at that; so do not think it funny
That Arabella Simpkins Brown should do no further shopping;
Except when dusk was coming down you might have seen her stopping
Where buyers form an endless line—the ten-cent store, no other.
She bought a quarter valentine, a lovely one for Mother.

IN HAPPY STATE.

THE soldier in the trench was gay;
We asked the reason why.
Whereat he tossed a smile our way
And blithely winked his eye.
"There aren't any walks to clear
When snow is on the ground;
There isn't any cause to fear
The copper on his round."
Now he had left a lower flat
To go to war and fight,
And anywhere he hung his hat
Was where he slept at night.
"There isn't any neighbor bunch
To use your telephone,
And though you've only beans for lunch,
You know they're all your own."
The soldier in the trench with glee
Let out a loud guffaw;
A merry wight he seemed to be
Though wintry winds blew raw.
"I must admit the trench is wet,
And much inclined to leak,
But here no country cousin yet
Has come to stay a week."

SOME VALENTINES.

RATTLE, rattle, trolley car,
What a handy thing you are;
But, unto this warning hark,
You must keep outside the park.

AUTO, auto, on the jump,
Speeding always brings a bump.
Watch your step, or to your sorrow,
You'll be sold for junk tomorrow.

CHIMNEY, chimney, quit your smoking
Every time the fire needs poking;
Be and get a smoke consumer;
Then we'll be in better humor.

A MUSICAL NOTE.

OYSTER BAY, Feb. 12.—Second fiddle? What? Its a perfidious fabrication! Me play second fiddle? Why I wouldn't even play first fiddle. The confounded thing doesn't make enough noise. Just take another look over the orchestra and you'll see me. Keep your ears open and you'll hear me. Who bumps the cymbals together? Who takes the hide off the bass drum with a big stick? Who knocks thunder out of the kettle drum and kicks the tom-tom into the middle of next week and plays a xylophone solo on his teeth at the same time? I ask you that. Who does? I, I, I, nobody but I. I'm the trap drummer. That's who I am. Stop look and listen. Watch my smoke! TEDDY.

Limit to the Resemblance.

SENATOR B. R. TILLMAN of South Carolina related this story of one of his constituents who, meeting the girl of his choice at a reception, suddenly resolved to learn his fate:

"Miss Smith," said the man, leading the girl to a secluded seat; "there is something that I must tell you, something that I"——

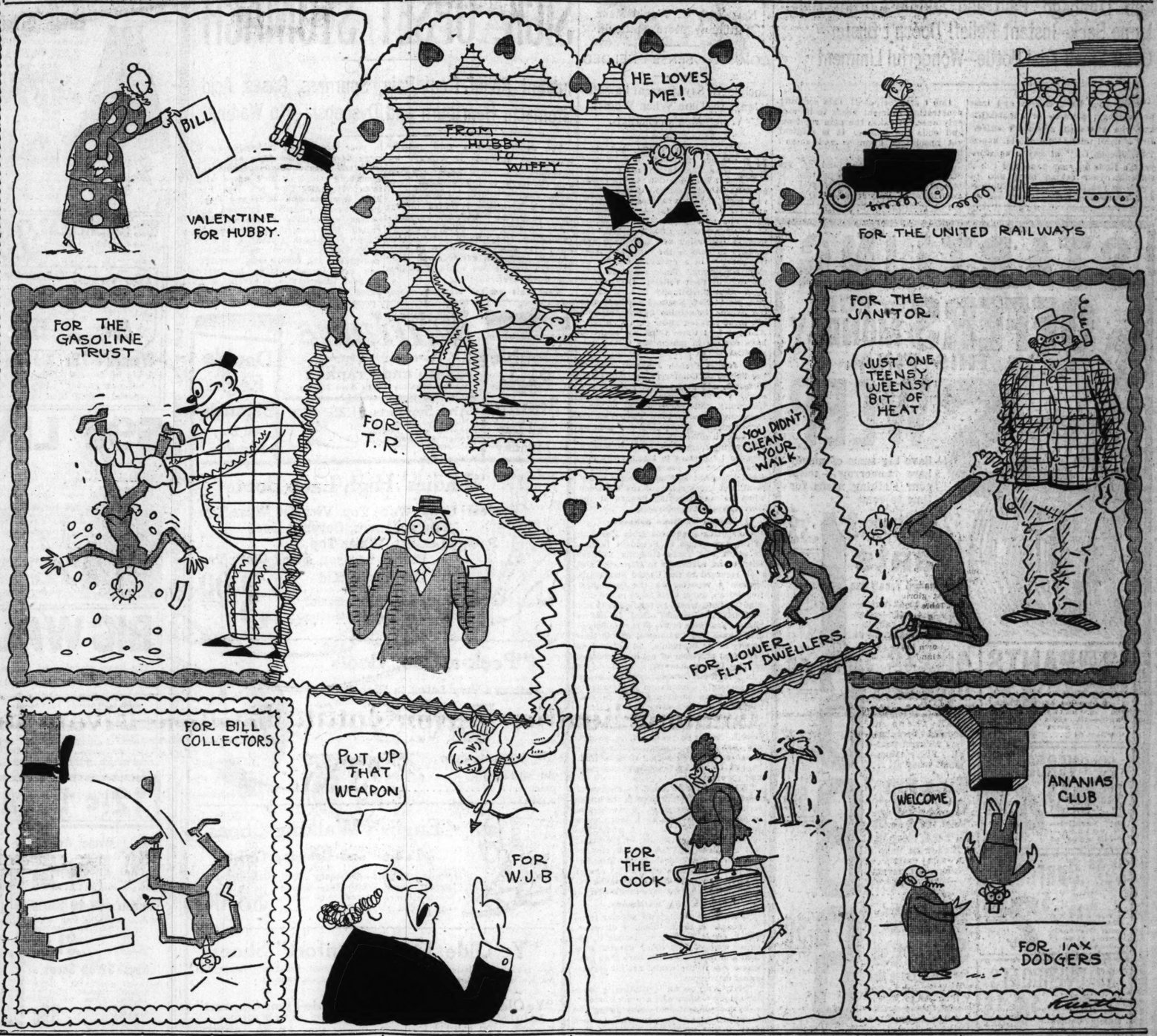
"All right, Mr. Jones," the girl interposed, "only please hurry. I don't want to miss the next waltz."

"It is a question that lies near to my heart," continued the man. "Could you—do you think you could marry a man like me?"

"Why, yes," was the calm rejoinder of the girl, "that is, if he wasn't too much like you."

Valentines

Drawn by Jean Knott for the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH



A LOOK AROUND

BY CLARK M'ADAMS.

THE St. Louis Symphony Orchestra the beneficiary of bequests. safety deposit boxes making the extra expresses the confident hope in its publication that Let us all join the organization in that hope. It happens elsewhere, and when the last man who is out for himself stalks from the stage in this vicinity it will happen here. Two years ago Lorado Taft, the sculptor, told a St. Louis audience what this sort of thing means in Chicago. Some years ago a lumberman named Ferguson died in that city. Though virtually unknown in the Chicago art world, he left the income from a million dollars for public sculpture in Chicago. There is no such thing as public sculpture here. There will be, but it will only come when that noble art is encouraged in some such way as that indicated by the Orchestra News. The St. Louis Art League has before it now a plan promising a beginning in public monuments, but for the time being so many people gather around a new model in an automobile than are attracted by a piece of sculpture that we must be patient. We have no one like Pericles to sort out for us what is worth while in our community life and consider for us what we might do to make our own time illustrious. We have men here who would like to do that for us, but having exhausted ourselves for the time being with trying to support three major league baseball teams, it will be some time before we shall care to undertake anything else big. If you went to the Pageant in Forest Park, you may recall that a bell tolled for those lapses of time between historical events. Those were the periods in which nothing happened. Ours is such a period. Recounting the years at some future Pageant, they will get nothing out of own period, so far as one may judge at this time, beyond a little exercise for the bell clapper. Do we want it to be like that? Of course not. We would like to have posterity lay its finger upon our period in history and say "That was a time when live men lived and did something!"

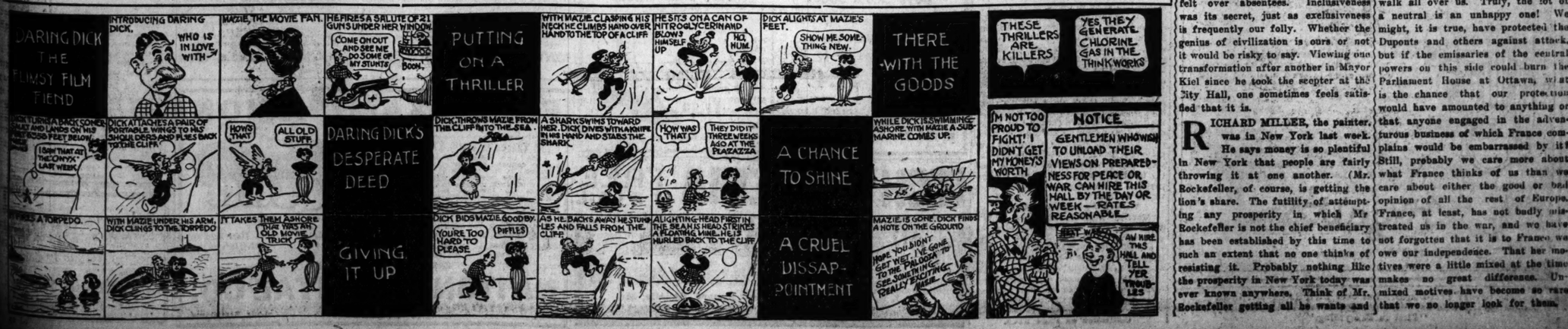
IT will not be the fault of the people who have stuck to the Symphony Orchestra through thick and thin if this cannot be said of us. It will not be the fault of all the people who continually work to make our own time in St. Louis illustrious. Nor is it an especially alarming sign that if all these people came down one side of the street and Phillip de Catesby Ball, who bought the Browns, came down the other, his would not be the side of the street to tip up. There is a great democracy in these things The Greeks were for everything. We learn in the plays of Aristophanes that the charcoal burner, who no doubt liked other things better, still knew the Greek poets. That was the Golden Age. This is the Silver Age. Between them stands the man who is out for himself. How much longer the Silver Age will last there is no telling. It is not a subject on which we have very much candor. We have learned lectures on the Stone Age, which preceded this one, but beyond that almost nobody ventures. It is delicate going: One cannot be sure of getting into the right relation with rich people who are wholly capable of a Golden Age, while the certainty of not penetrating the hides of those who are not is enough to appall people disposed to be daring. The Pageant was probably the happiest medium between baseball and art upon which we ever hit in St. Louis. That was a good common ground upon which we could all stand, and it is too bad that we do not have something of that sort here every year. From what one can make of the phenomenon of Greek civilization, it was largely due to the concern which everyone felt over absentees. Inclusiveness was its secret, just as exclusiveness is frequently our folly. Whether the genius of civilization is ours or not it would be risky to say. Viewing one transformation after another in Mayor Kiel since he took the scepter at the City Hall, one sometimes feels satisfied that it is.

RICHARD MILLER, the painter, was in New York last week. He says money is so plentiful in New York that people are fairly throwing it at one another. (Mr. Rockefeller, of course, is getting the lion's share. The futility of attempting any prosperity in which Mr Rockefeller is not the chief beneficiary has been established by this time to such an extent that no one thinks of resisting it. Probably nothing like the prosperity in New York today was ever known anywhere. Think of Mr. Rockefeller getting all he wants and there being some for everyone else!) Mr. Miller met there a French painter whom he knew in France. This man had been wounded and discharged from the army. France has lost so many of her poets and painters—the very soul of France—that she is taking them off the firing line now as also Mr. Miller asked about the feeling in France toward the United States. He was surprised to learn that it is really very bitter, notwithstanding the affection in which France is almost generally held over here.

The French feel that while we have permitted the shipment of war munitions to Europe, we have made no effort to protect the concerns making those munitions, with the result that they have been blown to the four winds. They also feel that we have let Germany and Austria walk all over us. Truly, the lot of a neutral is an unhappy one! We might, it is true, have protected the Duponts and others against attack, but if the emissaries of the central powers on this side could burn the Parliament House at Ottawa, what is the chance that our protection would have amounted to anything or that anyone engaged in the adventurous business of which France complains would be embarrassed by it? Still, probably we care more about what France thinks of us than we care about either the good or bad opinion of all the rest of Europe. France, at least, has not badly mistreated us in the war, and we have not forgotten that it is to France we owe our independence. That her motives were a little mixed at the time makes no great difference. Unmixed motives have become so rare that we no longer look for them.

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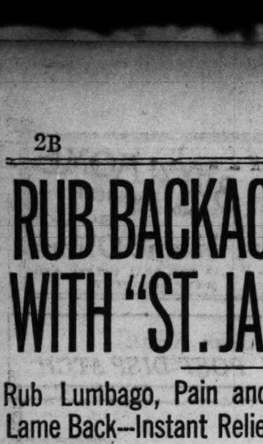
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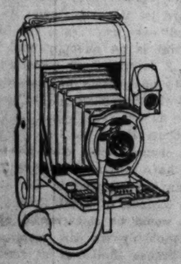
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Sociologist Says Present Law Belongs to Time When Women Were Men's Chattels.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.

"ARE our marriage and divorce laws what they really ought to be? That question is vital to our progress and civilization. It goes to the very roots of man's happiness on earth, and yet it is a question that people don't like to discuss. They are afraid to think about it. Some won't even tolerate discussion and look upon any attempt to analyze the facts and treat the problem in a scientific manner as rank blasphemy. Their marriage laws are part of their religion, they are to them what Christianity is to a Christian, pie to New England and cotton to the South. Something sacrosanct, and not to be touched under pain of heresy. And yet I at times think we ought to have courses in matrimony in our universities."

Dr. Joseph French Johnson, dean of the School of Commerce, Accounts and Finances, and professor of political and economy and sociology, at New York University, thus began a talk on marriage and divorce to a Post-Dispatch correspondent. Every now and then he turns down offers from corporations of jobs paying from $25,000 to $50,000 a year, because he prefers to stay at the university, just as, years ago, he turned down President McKinley's offer to appoint him Comptroller of the Currency when he was teaching finance at the University of Pennsylvania.

Career of Dean Johnson.

After being graduated from Harvard, in the same class as President Lowell, he spent two years studying political science and economics in Germany, and then returned to the United States and became a reporter on the Springfield Republican, going from there to the Chicago Tribune, where he succeeded Frank Vanderlip as financial editor. In 1893 he became professor in the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, at the University of Pennsylvania. In 1901 he was appointed professor of political economy at New York University.

In 1909 Dean Johnson was asked by ...onetary commission to investigate the Canadian banking system in connection with the reform of the currency, and the report he wrote for Congress is looked upon in Wall street as a classic. He is 60 years old, is married and has three grown children—one daughter and two sons. Here is what he had to say further about marriage and divorce:

"What I have in mind in discussing marriage and divorce laws is the awful seriousness of marriage. I would like to see marriage held as a much more solemn thing than it is. I would like to increase the difficulty of marriage, and I believe that the greater circumspection of the French people in entering into a marriage contract is one of the reasons why divorce is, comparatively speaking, so very rare in France.

Women and Matrimony.

"But in this country the popular trend of thought is in the opposite direction, and it is not possible to change it, because women, who enjoy greater freedom and more influence here than anywhere else in the world, are all encouraging matrimony.

"Matrimony as an institution is popular among women who are not economically independent, and many young and untrained women get married to men they do not really love and that they know they do not really love, just because they want to get married. It is the trained business woman and the experienced bachelor girl, who, as a class, marry late and stay married.

"The plain truth about our marriage and divorce laws is that it is too easy to get married and too difficult to get divorced when the marriage is an unhappy one. You see, society, the church, one's friends—especially women friends—are continually egging young people on to get married. The number of women matchmakers is simply appalling, and they are all trying to bring together for life a young couple, and tie them down with chains impossible to break.

"The first thing is to stop encouraging young people to throw themselves into the adventure of matrimony, especially when they are not in a fit state to judge things for themselves sanely and soberly. Particularly is this true if they are under the influence of what we call love, and it ought to be called madness. When a young man falls in love, the madness comes upon him and he has a wonderful sensation that makes him blind to the most obvious defects in the woman of his choice. His reason melts away in the fierce heat of his emotions, and he is just as irresponsible, just as incapable of making a valid contract as if he were plain drunk. This is just as true of women as it is of men.

"Now, what is needed is that the people should think about our marriage laws and use common sense in discussing them. It is quite certain that someone has got to talk about these matters, and, after all, what is a professor of sociology for, if it is not to discuss the very kernel of the social problem, and try to bring the light of reason and experience to bear upon it? What I have to say is this:

Women No Longer Chattels.

"Marriage is not a sacrament. It is a social contract. The trouble with our marriage and divorce laws is that no one made them. They were just handed down by our ancestors, who had evolved them among conditions of life totally different from those that now exist. They are so tangled up with religious rites that men and women believe that

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The Great Silk Sale Starts Tomorrow



We have made large purchases, and the most notable facts of this great sale tomorrow will be, that we intend to sell these wonderful Silks at the lowest prices, regardless of the advances which have been forced upon the retailers by the unusual conditions which exist in the silk market today.

How long we can maintain these remarkable low prices is the question, but tomorrow we promise you the ***Silk Sensation of the Year.***

We will not quote prices in this advertisement, but we assure you that the ***most remarkable value-giving in the history of the Silk Department awaits you here tomorrow.***

A Final Word: The possession of these Silks in these tremendous quantities in this sale, when desirable Silks are so scarce, the great assortment, the many exclusive designs and good proportion of imported weaves, is an achievement *of which we are immensely proud.*

We do not wish to urge you into buying Silks before you are ready, *but knowing the situation as we do,* and the *sure and certain advances which are to come,* and the fact that *we have Silks in this sale which we could not duplicate,* we believe it advisable to urge you to *lay all other important matters aside* and attend this great event Monday morning.

A Wonderful Sale of "Frolaset" Front Lace Corsets

This sale involves three of the latest Spring models, insuring perfection of fit and flexibility, splendid wearing qualities and absolute comfort. Frolaset Corsets represent the best values and workmanship that is possible to put into a Corset, and their consistent good qualities have won for them thousands of friends.

$6.50 Frolaset Front Lace Corsets, for the average and stout figures, made of imported coutil, prettily trimmed with lace and ribbon, elastic gores in bust and over thigh, three pair heavy supporters; sizes 22 to 30; at..... **$3.88**





$5 Frolaset Front Lace Corsets; models for the slender and full figure; made of coutil, embroidery trimmed, elastic insert across the bottom of the back; six heavy web supporters; sizes 21 to 30; at..... **$2.95**

$3.50 Frolaset Front Lace Corsets; average and stout figures; made in coutil, medium bust, very flat back, elastic insert at bottom of corset; six heavy supporters; sizes 22 to 30; at..... **$2.33**

$1 Nature's Rival Brassieres—a Brassiere that will reach every requirement of medium and stout figures; it provides adequate support without binding; made of pink batiste and linen, trimmed with Cluny filet lace; sizes 34 to 44; hook front styles; at..... **49c**

We Give Corset Vouchers worth 2½c on the Dollar

(Fourth Floor.)

"Rugs Are Ready"

That was the word passed along by our rug buyer and his corps of assistants when the greatest number of Rugs ever brought to this store was received and finally put in place for the great sale Monday.



$65,000.00 Worth of Rugs at a Saving of One-Third

We Have Devoted 14 of Our Large Show Windows to This Great Display.

The Story of the Sale: Last October our buyer visited the great rug mills of America and made arrangements with them to accumulate for us a great quantity of Rugs that we now have for this sale. These Rugs were thoroughly examined, and we were amazed at the choice selection of colors and designs. Every one is absolutely perfect. The names of the makers are familiar in every household. Thousands of new patterns that have never been shown. They include Goravan, Serapi, Iran, Kirmanshaw, Sehna, Fereghan, Kabistan, Shirivan, Tabriz, Surak, Kashan and the Blue Chinese designs.

In this sale are over 3000 room-size Rugs and over 5000 small-size Rugs.

COME PREPARED TO BE SURPRISED. Never in the history of Rug selling in St. Louis has such a quantity of fine, new domestic Rugs been gathered together in one store.

Rugs for Every Room in the House

Alexander Smith & Sons' Seamless Yonkers Royal Axminster Rugs, in all the new Spring designs; size 9x12; new price, **$32.50**; sale price..... **$25.33**

Alexander Smith & Sons' Seamless Kirman Rugs, size 9x12; all new beautiful designs; new price, **$34.50**; sale price..... **$26.44**

Alexander Smith & Sons' extra large Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 10.6x13.6; good patterns; for large rooms; new price, **$37.50**; sale price..... **$26.44**

Bigelow Hartford Body Brussels Rugs, size 9x12; neat Persian and Chintz patterns; all new; new price, **$35**; sale price.. **$28.64**

Bigelow Royal Wilton Rugs, size 9x12, in patterns that are copies of Kirminshaw, Iran and Serapi designs; all new; new price, **$45.00**; sale price..... **$35.33**

200 finest grade of Seamless Royal Axminster Rugs; made in patterns that are exact reproductions of the real Oriental rugs; also plain colors and Chinese colors; size 9x12; new price, **$37.50**; sale price..... **$28.88**

Seamless Royal Wilton Rugs, size 9x12; made by the Art Loom Rug Co.; good Oriental designs; new price, **$50.00**; sale price. **$36.44**

W. & J. Sloan's extra large Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 11.3x12 ft.; fine Oriental patterns; new price, **$27.50**; sale price..... **$21.44**

S. Sanford & Sons' Seamless Fervak Royal Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; fine new designs, all colors; new price, **$30.00**; sale price. **$21.48**

The new Suna Rugs; can be used on both sides; come in fine designs and colorings; suitable for any room; size 9x12; sale price... **$7.68**

Rugs of Every Size and Every Description

Beattie Seamless Wiltana Rugs; the rug that looks most like silk Orientals; full line of patterns; size 9x12; new price, **$27.50** and **$30.00**; sale price..... **$21.84**

Alexander Smith & Sons' Seamless Carleton Royal Axminster Rugs, in patterns exactly like those of the Oriental rugs; size 9x12; new price, **$28.50**; sale price. **$22.48**

The best quality made of S. Sanford & Sons' Seamless Royal Axminster Rugs, size 8.3x10.6; fine line of designs to select from; new price, **$31.50**; sale price.. **$24.48**

Extra large Royal Axminster Rugs, size 11.3x12 ft., in both Oriental and floral designs; new price, **$35.00**; sale price..... **$24.64**

Extra large Hartford Brussels Rugs, size 11.3x12 ft.; fine for dining room; new price, **$18.75**; sale price..... **$12.84**

Hartford Wilverton Seamless Wilton Rugs, size 9x12; in all the new colors and designs; every rug perfect; new price, **$27.50**; sale price..... **$21.84**

Roxbury Seamless Brussels Rugs, size 9x12; 75 different patterns to select from; new price, **$20.00**; sale price..... **$13.84**

We have one lot of the best-known make of S. Sanford & Sons' Seamless Royal Axminster Rugs, size 6x9; 100 to choose from; new price, **$18.50**; sale price..... **$14.24**

Alexander Smith & Sons' Seamless Ardsley Royal Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; in every popular design for Spring; new price, **$25.00**; sale price..... **$18.44**

Extra large Roxbury Brussels Rugs, size 11.3x12; good selection of new patterns and colors; new price, **$20.50**; sale price.. **$19.84**

Small Rugs

27x54-inch Brussels Rugs at.....**78c**
18x36-inch Axminster Rugs.....**84c**
27x54-inch Axminster Rugs.....**$1.84**
36x70-inch Axminster Rugs.....**$2.84**
27x54-inch Wilton Velvet Rugs....**$1.04**
36x72-inch Wilton Velvet Rugs....**$2.44**

Hall Runners

Size 27x9 ft., $7.50 value, at.....**$5.44**
Size 27x10 ft., $8.50 value, at.....**$6.44**
Size 27x12 ft., $9.50 value, at.....**$7.44**
Size 36x9 ft., $9.50 value, at.....**$7.44**
Size 36x10.6 ft., $11.50 value, at..**$8.44**
Size 36x12 ft., $13.50 value, at....**$9.44**
Size 36x15 ft., $16.50 value, at...**$10.44**

We Have Made One Lot of Wonderful Rugs

9x12 Alexander Smith & Sons' Royal Axminster Rugs.
9x12 S. Sanford & Sons' Royal Axminster Rugs.....
9x12 Phila Royal Axminster Rugs.....
9x12 Bush & Terry Royal Axminster Rugs.....
9x12 Alexander Smith & Sons' Wilton Velvet Rugs..
Every Rug worth $25.00, $27.50 or $30.00..... **$15.44**

$65 Hartford Kirman Rugs; one of the closest woven rugs made; beautiful for living room. In the popular 9x12 size; on sale at..... **$49.44**

Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 9x12, in floral and Oriental patterns. This Rug will wear fine; good line of patterns to select from. New price $19.50, our price.... **$13.33**

W. & J. Sloane's Brussel Rugs, in good patterns for almost any room in the house; size 9x12. New price, $14.50. Our price..... **$9.84**

A Sale of Women's High Grade Shoes

Which will make new customers for our Shoe Department.

About 500 pairs of stylish Shoes which sell regularly for $3.50, $4, $5 and $6, grouped in one lot and priced at $2.35 for quick selling Monday..... **$2.35**



(Fourth Floor.)

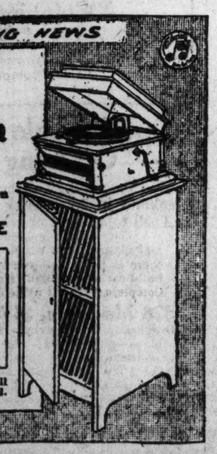
Women's Union Suits, 50c

Just received, 500 Women's low neck, sleeveless, ankle length Union Suits, medium weight cotton—just the proper weight for present wear. You will find each garment to be perfect fitting. Regular sizes only; pure white..... **50c**

(Fourth Floor.)

NOTE!

See today's Globe-Democrat for great sales of Women's Dresses at **$12.50** and Millinery at **$5.00.**



READ THIS INTERESTING NEWS

Tomorrow and This Week

It is so easy to own a

Columbia Grafonola

Our Payment Plan overcomes even the objection of small income.

YOUR HOME NEEDS ONE

HERE'S OUR OFFER:

"Favorite" Grafonola.....$50.00
Record Cabinet (as pictured)... 10.00
16 Selections (8 double disc 75c records)..... 6.00
Complete Outfit.....$66.00

Pick yours out tomorrow—we'll deliver it whenever you wish.

Easy Terms of $1.00 a Week, after small first payment, can be arranged if desired.

Basement Salesroom

10c Amoskeag Gingham, 3 to 8 yard lengths; plain colors, stripes and checks; at, yd.. **8½c**

25c—32-inch Gingham; plain colors, stripes and checks; at, yd..... **12½c**

15c staple Ginghams; fancy plaids and plain colors; for wash dresses; at, yd..... **10c**

36-inch Percale; light figures and neat stripes; at, yd..... **8½c**

32-inch Imported Madras Shirting; all the newest stripes and weaves; fast color combinations, 75 different patterns to select from; at, yd..... **35c**

32-inch Shirting Madras; all new patterns and colorings; yard..... **18c**

26-inch Half-silk Poplin; Spring shades; heavy ribbed weave; 3 to 10 yard lengths; at, yd. **49c**

29-inch Tissue; the season's popular fabric for wash dresses; beautiful designs; yard..... **25c**

29-inch Woven Flaxon; the wanted Summer dress fabric; white and tinted grounds, with small and wide stripes; all colors; yard..... **25c**

29c—32-inch Pongee Shirting; light and dark stripes; special at, yd..... **19c**

12½c Amoskeag Madras; plain colors, plaids and stripes; light and dark colors..... **8½c**

10c—32-inch Percale; light colors, stripes, figures and dots; just the fabric for waists.. **7½c**

15c Ripplette; all colors, including tan, blue, gray and pinks; at, yd..... **10c**

36-inch new Spring Challis; Persian effects; yd.... **10c**

(Basement.)

1892 Pure Spun Aluminum Windsor Kettle With Cover, 98c

Needless to say much about the quality of this renowned ware. The first made, 1892 aluminum cooking utensils have always been the first in quality, economy and design.

This kettle holds, in actual capacity, 7 pints, the top measures 9⅛ inches across, the bottom 7⅜ inches and the depth is 3⅞ inches. The kettle is well polished and made of 18-gauge aluminum. For cooking and roasting this kettle cannot be equaled.



98c

(Basement.)

Special Sale for Monday

A Few Slightly Used and New

Sewing Machines

2 Kingsley Dropheads.....$ 9.75
1 Eldridge Drophead.....$19.75
8 Nugent Special Dropheads.....$20.00
1 Singer Drophead.....$22.50
1 New Home Drophead, $25.00
1 Domestic Drophead..$29.50
1 Standard Sit-Straight Drophead.....$33.50



$1.00 Down **$1.00 Weekly**

(Third Floor.)

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they are God-ordained and perfect. They are nothing of the sort.

"What is our marriage law of today based upon? It is based upon conditions that are unthinkable in America today. It belongs to the dead and gone past, when women were recognized by the Church as the chattels of their husbands.

"Now woman—at least in the United States—is no longer a chattel. Woman is free and independent here. The moment a woman can earn her own living and does not have to depend on a husband to give her shelter and food and raiment, that woman has as much right to stay unmarried as a man has, and has a right to do all the things that a man does without loss of dignity or self-respect.

"Our present laws dealing with marriage and divorce are neither modern nor moral. There is one and only one basis for happy marriage. It is not madness nor passing infatuation. It is deep-seated affection that has ripened into love. Now, if marriage is founded on the affection of one person for another—and that is what marriage in America is supposed to be founded on—it stands to reason that when such sentiment disappears all ground for the marriage vanishes.

"Our laws, to promote true morality and true happiness, should make marriage difficult and divorce easy. They should be such as to insure, as far as insurance is possible, that, when a couple are married, they shall stay married and married happily. If they are unhappy, they should be parted with no more fuss than when they were joined. To me there is something really tragic about a marriage that has to be broken, and the less difficulty, scandal and lawsuit there is about breaking, all the better.

"Breaking an engagement, however, is only a little less serious than breaking a marriage, and yet look how easily engagements are broken.

Studying Matrimony.

"After all, the naked truth may as well be told. Among a large class of our people many of the engagements are in effect trial marriages. Now, paradoxical as it may seem, I have no doubt that easy divorce will go a long way toward steadying the good ship Matrimony and preventing it from running on the rocks of family discord.

"You see, if a girl knows that her husband can leave her after marriage, and if he knows that she can leave him with equal ease, they will both be more considerate of one another's feelings and the present sense of proprietorship will disappear. The average husband looks upon his wife as belonging to him, as being his personal property, as, in America, at least, the average wife looks upon her husband as belonging to her and as being her personal property. That is all wrong. There should be mutual desire and affection and comradeship, which, as the years go by, will ripen into strong and undying love. Such a marriage becomes a sacred, a holy relation, not by virtue of any sacrament or because someone has pronounced the couple man and wife, but by the slow blending of two souls, living the same life and having the same road to travel here on earth. It is a life partnership more sacred than any other.

"Compare it for a moment with a business partnership. Take two men who have joined their material fortunes, either for a stated period of years or for their whole lives—men who have worked side by side, who know each other's secrets, who have trusted each other, who have shared hard times and prosperity. How rare is it for such a partnership to be dissolved. How strong the condemnation in banking and business circles of the partner responsible for the break. How deep and sincere the regret among a wide circle of business acquaintances, and what a real tragedy in the lives of the men parted. How much rarer the rupture of matrimonial bonds should be and what a commentary on our marriage and divorce laws is the existing state of affairs.

Trial Marriage by Contract.

"Would it not be worth studying seriously if marriage by contract for a given length of time would not greatly lower the percentage of unhappy unions? Would it not make for certainty of social relations and stability of material interests which could be secured by contract, giving to the partners the right to part at the end of a stated period or to continue living together?

"People often put forward the case of the children as an argument against easy divorce. They say that for the children's sake divorce ought to be made as hard as possible. I think just the contrary is true. Nothing could possibly be worse for a child than to live in a house where its own father and mother are continually quarreling, where they spy on one another and distrust one another—a house of endless bickering and no happiness. What kind of a man or woman will that child grow up to be, if its little mind is impressed and made familiar with bitter remarks and taunting accusations and the calling of evil names even in the family circle? What will that child's attitude be toward strangers when it goes out into the world?"

BARBER'S DRINKS AND HEALTH

Villagers Ask State Board to Take Steps to Stop Sprees.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 12.—Is it within the State Health Department's power to revoke the license of a barber who is intoxicated on duty or is subject to fits while practicing his profession?

"Every week for sure he gets drunk in our town, and then wants to fight," reads a complaint of a reputable citizen from a Wisconsin town to the barber's division of the board, "and, furthermore, he gets the drunkard's fits, as they call it." A petition with a half dozen names testifying to his "recklessness" was also filed.

$400 Raised for Masonic Orphans.

One week's canvass by members of the Masonic Order to raise a fund to aid orphans to get a start in the world when they are sent out of the Masonic Orphans' Home upon reaching the age of 18, has resulted in subscriptions amounting to $400. The canvass will be continued under the direction of Frazier P. Gibbs, secretary of the Masons' Employment Bureau, 600 Roe Building, to whom contributions should be sent. The plan is to provide a fund from which $25 will be given to each ward released from the home.

San Carlo Grand Opera Company, Two Weeks, Beginning Tomorrow, Odeon, Tickets for One or More Performances Now Selling at Main-Floor Cashier's Desk. Popular Prices, 50c to $2.

Established in 1850—Have Lunch Tomorrow in Our Delightful Tea Room.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

The Men's Overcoats, Gabardine and English Tweed Raincoats Now on Special Sale Are the Greatest Values We Have Ever Offered in Our Clothing Shop —Every Coat Is Brand-New and Up-to-the-Minute in Style.

The New Merchandise Exhibited in the Vandervoort Specialty Shops Depicts the Authoritative Spring Styles for Men, Women and Children

Charming Costumes for Immediate Wear That Portray Fashion's Latest Dictates

Our Costume Salon, which is now entirely devoted to garments priced at $24.50 and upward—those at lower prices being shown in our new Popular-Price Dress Shop—has on display a host of lovely new Frocks for immediate wear, as well as advance styles for Summer.

It is scarcely necessary for us to speak of the desirability of making a selection from these early models, as many of them we will be unable to duplicate later in the season.

The Model Illustrated

We are illustrating a smart Coat Frock of French gray taffeta that is suitable for wear at the present time. The extremely full tucked skirt and basque bodice are smart features of this creation, and the rose satin pipings add to its attractiveness. Price $35

A Variety of Models at $24.50

In this group of Dresses there are full-gathered and tunic-skirt models that show careful attention to minute details and are attractively finished with Georgette crepe and bead trimmings. Price $24.50

Handsome Evening Gowns

The new Evening Gowns are marvels of beauty—their noted designers having cleverly shown, in many of them, the influence of Russian and Spanish styles. Prices $89.50 to $285

The New Linen Frocks

Linen Frocks that have been copied from original models by Callot, Lanvin, Royaut, Georgette and Doeuillet, are very chic and wonderfully different from those we have shown before Prices $39.50 to $65

The "Brandt" Model Is a Fifth Avenue Favorite

One of the most popular models on Fifth Avenue today is the "Brandt"—a copy of which we are showing in white serge with navy blue stitching. This is a beautifully tailored frock of high-grade but quite inexpensive, its price being but $24.50

Third Floor.

The New Wash Fabrics Are Unusally Dainty and We Advise Early Selection

Not in many a season have we shown as dainty Wash Fabrics as are now on display in our Wash Goods Shop—each piece is seemingly prettier than the other—and we urge that you make early selections. Owing to the uncertainty of foreign shipments we may not be able to duplicate any of the Imported Fabrics.

45-inch Voiles in two-tone colored floral printings on white grounds. The yard 75c

40- to 46-inch Imported Dress Linens—all pure flax—are shown in all the new weaves, such as Ramie, "Non-crush," Etamine, etc. Some special values at, the yard 75c to $1.25

We are showing a new line of the popular Kindergarten Cloth, in plain colors and fancy stripes and checks; 32 inches wide. This is a most excellent material for children's wear. The yard 25c

Anderson's Scotch Ginghams are shown in a complete assortment of the new Spring styles and colors, in tartan and pastel plaids, checks, stripes and solid colors; 32 inches wide. The yard 25c and 30c

40-inch Voiles in printed floral and cluster stripe patterns on white and colored grounds. The yard 25c

36-inch Gabardine—a very popular material for sports skirts and suits. It is shown this year in all the wanted stripes in pink, blue, black, green, etc., 75c

Second Floor.

Wool Dress Fabrics for Spring Apparel

The new Chuddah Cloth for Spring wear is light in weight, has a high luster, and is non-crushable. It may be had in all the new shades, including "Bolling" green, Labrador, damson, African brown, taupe, etc.; 44 inches wide. Yard $1.25

We are showing a splendid line of the nobby Checked Suitings, in brown and white, black and white, and tan and white, many with colored over-plaids; 54 inches wide. The yard $2.00

Some stunning Black-and-White Plaids and Stripes that are especially desirable for separate skirts and entire suits, are price at $1.50 to $2.50

The new "Za Za" Spring Coatings are shown in handsome cream and black-and-white checks and fancy stripes; 50 and 54 inches wide. The yard $2.50 to $3.00

Black-and-White Checks will be more popular than ever this Spring, and we are showing them in all sizes and varieties—40 to 54 inches wide—at, the yard 50c to $3.00

Second Floor.

Our Lace Shop Is Showing Many New Patterns

Our Lace Shop is showing many Novelties, including Flouncings of Colored Net, Allovers in Point d'Alencon, Chantilly and Shadow Lace designs—exquisite examples of the lacemaker's art. These are priced, the yard $1.50 to $7.50

Many dainty new Laces are shown in white, cream and black that are especially suitable for making sleeve ruffles and neck "fixings," including Chantilly, Point d'Alencon, Net-Top Laces, etc. These are priced, the yard 25c to $1.50

Wide Val. Laces and Shadow Lace Flouncings—especially desirable for making dainty Summer petticoats—are specially priced, the yard 25c to $1

French and German Val. Laces—both Edges and Insertions—are specially priced, the dozen yards 39c and 49c

We are showing a splendid line of Novelty Laces—points, medallions and festoon effects—also some finished with beading for making corset covers and trimming underwear. The yard 25c to 75c

Third Floor.



In the Vandervoort Coat Shop Many New Models Are Shown

The various epochs from which the new Spring styles have been derived are rich in possibilities for adaptation to Coats and Wraps. There are models to suit every need and fancy—the huge pockets being most effective—the cape-like collars and new style sleeves that have not failed to elicit the admiration of everyone who has seen them.

The Coat in the Illustration

The Coat pictured has been fashioned from the new two-toned cotton velvet and shows a unique yoke in the back, which is lavishly trimmed with pearl buttons, and a most attractive patch pocket. Price $27.50

New Spring Coats at $15 to $175

Other Coats for street, afternoon, evening and automobiling, include those of Poiret twill, covert cloth, silk, gabardine, whipcord, checks, Bolivia cloth, etc.—in the correct plain and fancy models for Spring—at prices ranging from $15 to $175

Third Floor.

Imported Millinery for Spring

Our French Millinery Shop will have on display and sale—tomorrow—a direct importation of new Spring Millinery, representing such well-known designers as Maria Guy, Reboux, Georgette, Marie Louise, Germaine and Louison.

These are original models and they range in price from $25 to $50

Third Floor.

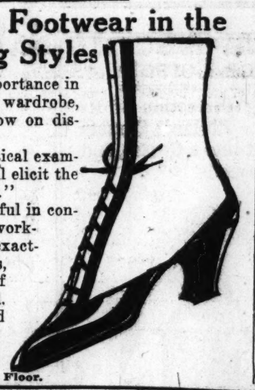
Women's Sorosis Footwear in the Newest Spring Styles

Footwear is of the utmost importance in the selection of Milady's Spring wardrobe, and the new Sorosis models now on display are ultra fashionable.

A casual glance of a most critical examination of these new arrivals will elicit the same verdict—"very handsome."

Every pair is especially graceful in contour, and the materials and workmanship will please the most exacting woman. There are Pumps, Oxfords and High Shoes—of Gray Kid, White Kid, Black Kid, Bronze Kid, Patent Leather and the new "Mouse-Brown" Kid.

Prices $3.50 to $10



Second Floor.

Women's Suits Were Never More Varied in Style and Fabric Than Now

Never before has a season brought such a wealth of style-variety in Women's Suits. The short Colonial bolero jacket, the semi-fitting coat with a slightly high waistline, and flaring-hip models vie with each other for prominence.

The collars and sleeves are radically different from those of the past, and the skirts show many new and graceful effects in the way of yokes, drapes and pockets.

New Suits at $25 to $50

An unusually attractive line of Suits in tailored, semi-tailored and dressy models—of Poiret twills, fine serge, gabardine, checks and silks—embraces every style-tendency now in vogue, with tasteful trimmings in contrasting colors and unusual embroidered effects. Prices $25.00 to $50.00

Other Suits Up to $185

Among the higher-grade Suits are distinctive models with handsome trimmings of embroidery, chiffon, gold and silver, in which close attention has been paid to small details. The wide variety of styles affords selection of a suit adapted for every type of figure. Prices $52.50 to $185

The Sketch Shows an Attractive Silk Suit

The Suit in the illustration is fashioned of satin-striped silk Faille and depicts one of the most effective styles for Spring. Price $48.50

Third Floor.

An Exclusive Specialty Shop for Dresses Ranging in Prices from $5.00 to $19.75

The success of our new Popular-Price Dress Shop has been gratifying indeed, for we have spared no efforts to make it satisfy the long-felt need for an exclusive Specialty Shop for Inexpensive Dresses. Here you will find a large stock of Women's Frocks, suitable for street, afternoon and evening wear—at prices ranging from $5 to $19.75.

Tailored Dresses of Serge

Some plain-tailored Serge Dresses, of light weight for Spring, are shown in navy blue, brown, gray and black, finished with dainty collars and cuffs and braid and button trimmings; sizes 34 to 44. Prices $9.75 to $14.75

Washable Dresses at $5

Many dainty Dresses of Voile, Linen, Crepe and other pretty materials are shown in advance models for Summer. These are very remarkable values at our price of $5

Dance and Afternoon Frocks

Afternoon and Dancing Frocks in a host of pretty models, including the simple Quaker-like styles, as well as the more elaborate effects, fashioned from the much-favored taffets, faille, Georgette, Charmeuse, net and lace. Prices $14.75, $16.75 and $19.75

Linen and Voile Dresses

At a slightly higher price, selection is given of many unusually pretty Frocks of Linen and Voile, in plain shades and a variety of stripe and figure effects. Price $7.75

Ninth-and-Olive Section of the Third Floor.

New Blouse Models Have Just Arrived—Make It a Point to See Them Tomorrow

A special purchase which we have just made brings to our Blouse Specialty Shop two of the prettiest Waists that have been shown this season for general wear. They are made of heavy Japanese silk—one has the new rolling Byron collar with a black silk tie, while the other has a two-in-one collar and neatly embroidered front. All sizes in the lot and extra special values at $2.48

Another Waist of heavy quality crepe de chine has quarter-inch tucks and embroidery on either side of the front; two-in-one collar and long sleeves. This blouse may be had in both white and flesh color. Price $3.50

A pretty Japanese Silk Waist, which may be had in both flesh color and white, has pretty collar and long sleeves, is trimmed with scallops; all sizes. Price $1.95

Another new Blouse, of crepe de chine or Georgette, features the new jabot frill, and may be had in flesh color, maize, navy, green and white. A very special value at $5

Third Floor.

New—1916—Silks of the Wanted Kinds

New Satin-striped Pongee Shirtings—for shirts, blouses and entire dresses—are shown in a truly wonderful variety of color-combinations, 32 inches wide. The yard $1

Satin Messaline has sprung into prominence for Spring wear and we are showing it in more than thirty different shades 26 inches wide. A very special value at the yard $1

Box-loom Crepe de Chines are shown in an exquisite array of shades, including the much-wanted white, flesh color and pink—and is a splendid tub material; 40 inches wide. The yard $1.25

Second Floor.

Stylish "Wooltex" Suits in New Spring Models

Our display of new Wooltex Suits is so broad in its scope that every individual taste can be satisfied. There are new Norfolk models, plain and semi-tailored styles, and a most pleasing variety of the more elaborate Suits for dress wear.

Every new shade in cloth and silk is represented as well as the popular black-and-white checks, which are extremely fashionable for Spring.

These range in size from 16 years to 44 bust, and the prices are $25 and $35

Third Floor.

Gray and White Hair Goods

The Rarest and Most Difficult to Secure

First-quality Gray Switches and Transformations, including all shades of gray from iron gray to purest white, are specially priced for tomorrow's selling, as follows:

Gray and White Switches, special at	$4.95
Gray and White Switches, special at	$7.95
Gray and White Switches, special at	$12.95
Gray and White Transformations, special at	$5.95
Gray and White Transformations, special at	$8.95

Experts will aid you in matching the texture, shade and sheen of your hair.

Modern, Sanitary Equipment

Visit our Beauty Parlors—examine the up-to-date equipment, Hairdressing, Shampooing, Massaging and Manicuring done at moderate prices.

Competent operators always in attendance.

Scalp treatments given by a specialist.

Third Floor.

Fine Cut Glass Water Sets, $1.95

In Our Annual February Sale



Our Annual February Sale of Cut Glass continues to offer remarkable values in fine Glassware, for which Vandervoort's has become so well known.

Tomorrow we will feature a lot of Cut Glass Water Sets, consisting of a pitcher and six glasses, hand-cut in a beautiful rock crystal design on a clear lead blank. Sale price $1.95

This is but an example of the hundreds of Cut Glass values that are now being offered.

Fourth Floor.

Special Values in Our Basement Monday

You will profit greatly by making it a point, whenever you are in the store, to inspect the special values always to be found in our Basement. The underpriced offerings for tomorrow are:

Wash Petticoats, 75c

A splendid quality Plisse cloth Wash Petticoat is shown, trimmed with a 12-inch sectional ruffle; pretty assortment of stripes. Special at 75c

15c Nainsook, 10c

39-inch Plain Nainsook of medium weight, especially desirable for light-weight underwear; value, 15c a yard. Sale price 10c

Matting Suitcases, 98c

They are made of a good grade matting, with reinforced corners, good handles and are nicely lined; brass bolts and good lock. This is an exceptionally well made, feather-weight case. Choice of the 24 or 26-inch size at 98c

Inexpensive Laces

French and German Val. Lace Edgings and Insertions—many with the wanted beading-top; values, 39c to 50c a dozen yards. Sale price 25c

Cotton Cluny Lace Edges—5 inches wide; also some Cotton Wash Lace Bands—5 to 9 inches wide; value, 15c a yard. Sale price 5c

Remnants of fine Allover Lace Yokings and Samples of Laces. Some wonderful values are priced at, the length 3c

A New Lot of Shoes

New lots have been added to our Women's Shoe Shop in the Basement and they are very remarkable values at our special prices of $1, $1.45, $1.95 and $2.95

Girls' Wash Dresses

In this lot of School Dresses you will find a splendid assortment of styles and color-combinations, including solid colors and plaids in pretty, serviceable colors; sizes 6 to 14 years. Prices $1.00 to $1.95

Chairs at Reduced Prices

We have gathered together in the Basement all our Odd Chairs, in both Oak and Mahogany finishes, and will offer them at but a fraction of their former prices. They are in good condition and are especially desirable for doctors' reception rooms, offices, the dining or living room; two high Billiard Chairs will be found in the lot. 33⅓ to 75% off

Books at Remarkable Price Reductions

The great sale of Books, which will be held in our Basement—tomorrow, will afford a splendid opportunity for book-lovers to effect worth-while savings on some of the most desirable volumes published.

We have taken from our shelves all Odd Books, Broken Series, Shopworn and "Hurt" Books—and made such great reductions in their prices as to occasion enthusiastic buying tomorrow.

Nearly every kind of book is represented in this sale—Books for Children and for Grown-ups, Books of Fiction, History, Art, Poetry and General Literature.

For convenient selection these books have been divided into three groups and priced as follows:

Group No. 1—10c and 15c

Group No. 2—25c and 35c

Group No. 3—50c and Upward

Basement.

A Special Sale of Flashlights at the Lowest Prices Ever Quoted



An extraordinary offer will be made tomorrow of Tubular Flashlights that are made from the best seamless fiber, with metal parts of nickel-plated brass; slip-switch and complete with CCC Ever-ready battery.

These lamps are indispensable to automobile owners, inspectors and others who require a strong, steady light for special work. They will also be found convenient for emergency use in the home.

We have only 1000 of these lamps, which are the best made, and the sale prices are the lowest ever quoted.

$1.20 Lamps, 69c $1.50 Lamps, 89c $1.75 Lamps, 98c

Kodak Shop, First Floor.

A Combination Valentine Gift

Our Floral Shop is making a special Valentine-Day offering of a beautiful Corsage Bouquet composed of Violets, Sweet Peas and Rosebuds, together with a one-pound box of Huyler's Chocolates. Put up in an attractive white box and tied with ribbon. Price $2

Prompt delivery is assured.

Basement.

Special Sale of Sewing Machines Offering Unusual Values

We have just 10 of the celebrated Housemate Rotary Sewing Machines in stock—our own $45 and $50 values—which we will sell tomorrow, or while they last, at $35

They are in golden oak cases, and combine both the lock and chain-stitch, which is an especially desirable feature when there is much children's sewing to be done. They have double ball-bearings, which make them extremely easy to operate. Complete with all attachments.

$28 Machines, $17.98

Drophead, Ball-bearing Sewing Machines—guaranteed for ten years—that are the usual $28.00 value. Very special at $17.98

Henderson Automatic

Henderson Automatic Sewing Machines—plain style—each complete with a full set of attachments. Special at $35.00

Each Machine sold by us is guaranteed for 10 years, and, if desired, may be bought on our easy-payment plan of $1 down and $1 weekly until complete payment has been made.

Sewing Machine Lessons free to every purchaser.

Fourth Floor.

Tickets at Public Service Bureau

Olympic—"Watch Your Step."
Park—"The Whirl of the Times." Monday, Feb. 14.
Shenandoah—"Baby Mine."
Westminster Presbyterian Church—"Echoes From the War Zone," by Mme. Pernet McCarty, Thursday evening, February 17, at 8:15 p. m. Admission, 50c.
Princess—"The Girl Without a Chance."
Columbia—High-class Vaudeville.
Odeon—San Carlo Grand Opera Company.
Paletteers Dinner Dance and Bal Costume—Planters Hotel, Thursday, February 24. Tickets, $1.50 per person.

February Silk Sale
See details in today's Globe-Democrat or Republic.

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dg Co
GRAND-LEADER SIXTH-WASHINGTON SEVENTH & LUCAS SAINT LOUIS

Signor Rosine, on the concertine, with Haenschen's Orchestra all this week—in the Restaurant. (Sixth Floor.)

100 Calling Cards, 19c
Printed in Old English letters on Bristol cards—together with Patented Gold-initialed Card Case, 19c
100 Calling Cards, neatly printed in Old English on pure Scotch linen material—with gold-initialed Card Case, 49c
Mailed anywhere for 5c additional.
Wedding Invitations or Announcements at very low prices. (Main Floor.)

Imported Silk and Lisle Matelasse Brocade Suitings, 25c Yard
Formerly Sold at $1.00 Yard

This yard-wide material comes in solid shades, with self-colored jacquard designs—also tinted grounds with black designs.

Used extensively for suits, coats, skirts and a number of patterns appropriate for draperies.

A wide selection of colors, including several shades of wistaria, rose, blue, gray, lavender, red, wine, pink, natural tan, golden, mahogany, also black and white. (No mail or phone orders.)
(Square 9 Main Floor and Second Floor.)

A Great Sale of
2100 Pictures
At Half the Usual Prices

Leubrie & Elkus, Art Importers, found it impossible to secure works of art from their various branches in Europe, and therefore decided to discontinue handling Pictures in their New York Art Galleries. There are

Both Framed & Unframed Pictures

in this collection—original Artists' Proofs, Etchings, fine Original Mezzotints in color, high-grade Facsimiles in color, Photogravures and Copper-Plate Reproductions.

The values in these collections of Framed Pictures are quite extraordinary—in fact, it will be difficult to select a picture that ordinarily would sell for less than double the price published for this sale.

At $2.25—Usual Selling Prices $4 and $5
Artistic imported landscapes and figures reproduced from very fine copper plates in color.

At $4.90—Regular Retail Prices $10 and $12.50
Including exclusive reproductions in color—many of them masterpieces of best known modern European artists.

At $6—Usual Selling Prices $14 to $16
Figures, landscapes and beautiful marines—from fine engraved copper plates in color.
(Fourth Floor.)

5th Annual China Sale
Beginning Monday, After Many Months of Preparation

Notwithstanding the chaotic conditions abroad, we have assembled representative lots of China from the European countries, and will offer

Savings of From 20% to 33⅓% and in Some Cases, More



$11.50 Dinner Services, $9.00
100-piece Dinner Service, of American porcelain, with various border and spray decorations.

$14.00 Dinner Services, $10.50
One hundred pieces, of American porcelain, with neat border decoration.

$18.50 Dinner Services, $13.75
One hundred pieces, of English porcelain. Blue clover, under-glazed decoration.

$23.50 Dinner Services, $19.50
One hundred pieces, of Austrian china, with gold band decoration and full burnished gold handles.

$24.75 Dinner Services, $20.00
One hundred pieces, of French china, with pretty spray floral decoration, full mat gold handles and knobs.

Dinner Services, $27.50
One hundred pieces, of Austrian china, burnished white and gold decoration, with full mat gold handles and knobs.

$1.00 China Vases, 59c
Three hundred Nippon China Vases, in various shapes and decorations, while the lot lasts (limit of two to a buyer).

$60.00 Dinner Services, $50.00
One hundred pieces, of French china, with a beautiful border decoration, gold lined and full mat gold handles and knobs.

Service Plates One-Third Less
We recently received a shipment of French and English China Service Plates which are priced in this February Sale at one-third less than regular.

$30 Service Plates, dozen,	$20
$40 Service Plates, dozen,	$26.67
$45 Service Plates, dozen,	$30
$59 Service Plates, dozen,	$39.33
$65 Service Plates, dozen,	$43.33
$85 Service Plates, dozen,	$56.67
$96 Service Plates, dozen,	$64

Open-Stock Dinnerware Half Price
These are decorations which we are closing out, but all are desirable merchandise. In the lot are:
One Austrian china pattern—one German china pattern—two Syracuse china patterns—one English porcelain pattern and French china pattern. From some of these patterns you will be able to select a sufficient number of pieces for a complete dinner service.

Dresden China
This is the genuine Dresden china, and we were quite fortunate in receiving a large shipment of all the wanted articles, which are priced at about 30% less than regular.

$2.25 Dresden China Plates,	$1.57
$3.25 Dresden China Plates,	$2.27
$3.75 Dresden China Plates,	$2.62
$5 Dresden China Plates,	$3.50
$4 Dresden China Compotes,	$2.80
$7.50 Dresden China Compotes—special at	$5.25
$12.50 Dresden China Baskets—special at	$8.75
$3 Dresden China Candlesticks—special at	$2.10
$4.50 Dresden China Nappies,	$3.15
$12 Dresden China Chop Dishes—special at	$8.40

39c Teapots, 19c
English Jetware Teapots—fireproof, decorated. Choice of two sizes—while a lot of 300 lasts (limit of one to a buyer)—regular 39c and 45c grades—each, 19c

Italian Marble Busts & Figures, One-Third Off
Many of them are new arrivals. Also in connection with the above we offer our entire stock of

Italian Marble Pedestals, ¼ Less Than the Marked Prices

Hand-Painted Nippon China at Marked Reductions

Nippon China Bonbon Sets—prettily decorated, and consisting of open-handle Dish and six individual Dishes. Regularly $1—at, set, 69c

Nippon China Radish Dishes—regularly 59c at— 45c

Nippon China Celery Sets—regularly $1.50, $1.15

Nippon China Cake Sets—usually $1.39—at $1

Nippon China Jelly Sets—usually $1—at 65c

Nippon China Manicure Sets—regularly $1—at 69c

Nippon China Berry Sets—usually $2—at $1.45

Nippon China Dresser Sets—special at, the set, 79c

Nippon China Chocolate Sets—usually $3.25—at, the set, $2.25

Nippon China Sugar and Cream Sets—usually $1.25, 69c

Brass Smoking Sets, 89c
One hundred Smoking Sets, of real brass, polished and lacquered—consisting of Tray, Cigar, Cigarette and Match Holder. Sell regularly for $1.50 set—while the lot lasts (limit of one to a customer), 89c set
(Fifth Floor.)

The Annual February Clearance of
Pianos and Player-Pianos
Will Begin Tomorrow, and Continues for One Week



Here is a very unusual opportunity to get a real bargain in a Piano or a Player-Piano.

Beginning tomorrow, we will place on sale our entire stock of floor instruments, including many which have been taken in exchange—some that have never been used—others are a trifle marred.

Every instrument has been thoroughly overhauled and carries our guarantee the same as though you were paying the regular price.

Terms Will Be Arranged to Suit Your Convenience.

Here is a partial list of the instruments included:

The Pianos in This February Event

	Was	Is
Sterling,	$400	$110
Reutner,	$300	$95
Huntington,	$300	$120
Reutner,	$300	$140
Sterling,	$350	$75
Huntington,	$300	$95
Bollman Bros.,	$400	$145
Bollman Bros.,	$400	$110
Decker & Sons Grand,	$700	$325
Huntington,	$300	$80
Sterling,	$375	$135
Huntington,	$300	$140
Huntington,	$300	$140
Halle Square,		$5
Cable Square,		$5
Regent,	$300	$85
Kimball,	$350	$25
Bahnsen,	$350	$25
Kimball,	$350	$60
Lindeman & Sons,	$350	$115
Steger & Sons,	$500	$135
Fischer,	$400	$90
Steinbach & Dreher,	$300	$155
Hallet & Davis,	$350	$45
Stuyvesant,	$300	$45
Hobart M. Cable,	$375	$125
E. Gabler,	$400	$100
E. Gabler,	$450	$185
Krell,	$400	$175
Oxford,	$300	$135
Haines & Co.,	$325	$115
Webster,	$350	$135
Schroeder,	$275	$135
Crown,	$400	$105
Boardman Square,		$5
Behr Bros.,	$400	$200
Waldorf,	$325	$175
R. S. Howard,	$350	$195
Behr Bros.,	$450	$245
Behr Bros.,	$500	$295
Strombach,	$375	$145
Behr Bros.,	$500	$295
Whittier,	$300	$95
Sterling,	$400	$195
R. S. Howard,	$350	$195
Waldorf,	$300	$175
R. S. Howard,	$375	$225
R. S. Howard,	$375	$295
Knabe Bros.,	$500	$325
R. S. Howard,	$350	$195
Knabe Bros.,	$450	$325

Player-Pianos Are Greatly Reduced

	Was	Is
Royal Player,	$500	$195
Royal Player,	$500	$195
Ariston Player,	$500	$210
Euphona Player,	$450	$225
Ariston Player,	$500	$195
Boudoir Player,	$400	$50
Boudoir Player,	$400	$50
Boudoir Player,	$400	$50
Royal Player,	$500	$195
Sterling Player, 65-note,	$500	$150
Burmeister Player,	$400	$220
Burmeister Player,	$400	$220
Royal Player,	$500	$195
Mason & Hamlin Player,	$750	$425
Kleekamp Player,	$450	$280
Knabe Bros. Player,	$1000	$395
Cable Player,	$800	$650
Conover Player,	$900	$650
Euphona Player,	$450	$250
Boudoir Player,	$400	$50

(Fourth Floor.)

"Rotary" Sewing Machines, $32.95



This beautiful four-drawer, central needle Machine is made in the drophead style—automatic lift. Has automatic tension and bobbin winder—ball-bearing stand—specially selected design. The frame is of quarter-sawed oak, and the attachments of the best quality.

To all purchasers of these Machines we will give Free Lessons at the home.

Pay $1—Then $1 Per Week
(Fifth Floor.)

The Semi-Annual Sale of Cut Glass
Brings Thousands of Pieces at Savings of One-Fourth to One-Half!

A comprehensive collection of the choicest specimens of Cut Glass, including every imaginable style of piece and every up-to-date cutting. The price range is from 50c for a 5-inch Nappy, selling regularly at $1 to $35 for a 14-inch footed Punch Bowl that sells regularly at $50.



$4 to $8 Cut Glass, $2.98
Cut Glass Ice Cream Trays, Salad Bowls, 12-in. Vases, Boudoir Lamps, Decanters, Sandwich Plates, Sugar and Cream Sets, Fern Dishes.

Cut Glass Fern Dishes, 8 in. wide, cut in attractive miter and floral designs, with 10-inch beveled mirror plateau—regularly $5—specially priced at $2.98

Cut Glass Water Sets, consisting of 3 or 4-pint pitchers, six glasses and footed beveled mirror plateau. Choice of a wide variety of new cuttings in floral and miter designs—usually $8 to $20—at $4.98 to $12
(Fifth Floor.)

A Great Sale of Rugs, $15.50
Our New York buying office bought several carloads of fine Rugs, and divided the purchase among the firms it represents.

Our portion has arrived—we can feature but one lot, which, however, is an example of the wonderful values in the others. There are—

34 Rugs Which Sell Regularly at $25.00
25 Rugs Which Sell Regularly at $30.00
6 Rugs Which Sell Regularly at $32.50

Come in the 9x12 and the 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in. size—all of standard makes—including—Seamless Axminsters, seamless Wilton Velvets and seamed Axminsters, of extra fine texture. They are beautifully woven, and there is a wide range of refined patterns for every taste.

Choice of the Entire Lot, Monday, $15.50
(Fourth Floor.)



Another Opportunity Tomorrow—
Women's Walk-Over Shoes
"REJECTS"
of $3.50 to $6 Grades
$2.25 Pr.

It is advisable that you make an early choice from this wonderful group if you would buy these "Walk-Overs" at the February Shoe Sale price.

Though these Shoes are sold as "rejects," you will find great difficulty in locating the imperfections in the majority of them.

The Assortment Is Almost Without End. There Are Several Hundred Distinctly Different Styles, and a Feature Worthy of Note Is That Many of the Smartest Novelty Boots Are Included.

Come in sizes 2½ to 8—AA to E widths.
(Main Floor, Rear—Sixth St. Side.)

Basement Special Sales for Monday Basement

New Spring Suits
Representing Splendid Values

$15.00



The very latest fashion ideas are expressed in our collection of new Spring Suits to sell at this price.

The materials and splendid workmanship stamp these as very excellent garments.

There are Suits of men's-wear serge, wool poplins, hard-finished worsteds and shepherd checks—in tan, navy, Copenhagen, also black-and-white checks—green, brown and black.

All sizes from 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement.

New Silk Waists at $1.88
Beautiful Waists of crepe de chine, taffeta, tub silk and pussy willow—plain tailored and trimmed styles. Come in maize, flesh, peach, rose, white and black. All sizes.
(Basement.)

Savings in This Sale of Silks
These low sale prices, indeed, do not reflect the market conditions and the daily rising prices.

50c Suralis, 25c Yd.
All-silk Suralis, in plain, solid colors—made in France—comes in ten of the new Spring shades—24 inches wide.

69c Foulards, 39c Yd.
All-silk, 23-inch Printed Foulards—black and blue, with white figures and a few colored grounds.

$1 Fancy Failles, 69c Yd.
Striped and Checked Chiffon Faille, in rich and new Pekin stripes, three-tone Hairlines, Tennis Stripes and Club Checks—all the new Spring Shades—36 inches wide.

89c Plain Black Poplin, 59c
Just 400 yards of Plain Black Poplin, 36 inches wide—beautiful luster and finish—black only—while 400 yards last, at 59c yard

$1.25 Silk Poplins, 98c Yd.
Pure silk-and-wool Poplins, in black, cream, white and all newest shades—40 inches wide.

98c Silk Faille Poplins, 69c Yd.
In black, white and various Spring shades—light and dark, including the new gray, old rose and others—high luster and fine ribbed—36 inches wide.

$1 Printed Poplins, 39c Yd.
Rich Novelty and Roman-Stripe Poplins, slightly misprinted—regularly $1—while the lot lasts—special at 39c yard

$2 Crepe de Chine, 69c Yd.
Copenhagen Crepe de Chine—slightly imperfect, of heavy quality crepe de chine, 42 in. wide.

$1.50 Black Grenadines, 69c
Plain, solid black Iron Frame Grenadine, 47 inches wide, also Copenhagen, 42 in. wide—special while the lot lasts, at 69c yard
(Basement.)

Men's Underwear, 35c
Flat fleeced Shirts and Drawers—tan only. Regular 50c garments—in all sizes. (Basement.)

Silk Gloves
"Seconds" From a Well-Known American Maker,
35c and 45c Pr.
50c and 65c Gloves
Women's two-clasp Silk Gloves, of best quality Milanese silk, with double finger tips, in black, white and colors—plain and heavy embroidered backs, also black and white combinations. (Basement.)

75c Bleached Sheets at 59c Ea.
Ready made Bleached Seamless Sheets, in medium weight, size 81x90 inches, regularly 75c, at 59c each

Bleached Sheeting 12½c Yd.
Bleached Sheetings, in single bed width—54 inches wide—specially priced at 12½c yard

White Wool Flannels, 25c Yd.
Wool-mixed White Skirting Flannels, 27 inches wide—regular 35c quality—at 25c yard

Marvel Linons, 12½c Yd.
Linen finished, white Marvel Linon Suitings which resemble linen and does not muss—36 in. wide—special at 12½c yard

75c Bedspreads, 59c Each
White Crochet Bedspreads, in three-quarter-bed size—74x84 in.—regularly 75c—at 59c each

30 o'clock Special
2000 yards—fine quality—sheer white
Irish Dimities
in small, narrow stripes—15c quality—at
9c Yd.
(Basement.)

Household Utilities

Coffee Percolators, $1



As illustrated—made of heavy gauge aluminum—with aluminum inset, glass top—1½-quart capacity. Exceptional value at the price quoted.

Bread Boxes, 85c
Kreamer make, of XXXX cross tin, white japanned, Hinge cover, side ventilators and come in medium size.

Aluminum Sets, $1.50
Consisting of one Lipped Saucepan, 2¼-qt. capacity—one Fry Pan, 8⅝-inch size and one Double Boiler, 1-qt. capacity.

Casseroles at $1.25
Round and oval styles, with heavily nickel-plated frames, claw feet, side handles and fitted with fireproof baking dish and cover.

Electric Irons, $1.95



Six-lb. size, exceptionally well made—nickel plated. Heating element guaranteed five years. Complete with cord.
(Fifth Floor.)

Third Baptist Choir Banquet.

The choir of the Third Baptist Church will hold the second annual banquet at the Planters Hotel tomorrow at 8 p. m. This will be followed Tuesday evening with a concert at the Third Baptist Church. A program has been made up under direction of Dr. F. P. Leigh, organist and choir director.

Church to Present Play.

The Aid Society of the Markham Church, 1614 Menard street, will present a play, "The Elopement of Ellen," at the church, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week at 7:45 o'clock. They will also conduct a "Chinese laundry," with fancy work and other things for sale.

IT BREAKS YOUR COLD IN A FEW HOURS—TRY IT

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the Surest, Quickest Relief Known—Tastes Nice, Harmless and is Splendid

Relief comes instantly.

A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold, either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't sit stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine. Don't accept something else "just as good." Insist on getting "Pape's Cold Compound" if you want to stop your cold quickly.—ADV.

GERMANS REAL BACKBONE OF THE AUSTRIAN LINE IN BIG GALICIAN DRIVE

Success of Movement Due to Interjection of Kaiser's Troops Among Forces of Ally, War Writer Declares.

Mr. Washburn, who has been with the Russian army practically from the beginning of the war, has written for the Post-Dispatch an analysis of all the Russian campaigns. This is the fifth article in the series, the sixth and concluding one will be printed at an early date.

By STANLEY WASHBURN,
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 10.—While the southern armies of the Austrians and Germans were pushing the Russians back into Eastern Galicia, the more northerly groups were already swinging to the north with the view of breaking the Russian line that was settling down for another determined stand on what has come to be called the Chelm-Lublin line of defense.

By July the Russian line from Warsaw had formed a great S. Starting from the old Bzura line, which had not been affected by the retreat, the line dipped eastward from Radom, crossing the Vistula south of Nova Alexandra, and then running nearly east in front of Lublin and Krasnystav, then a little to the south before Grubeszow, and thence south again in front of Sokal, whence it ran along approximately the old Krasne line to the head of the Ztota Lippa, and then to the line of the Dneister River.

After the Germans retook Rawa Ruska, where the Russians in the previous September had overwhelmingly defeated the Austrians, their progress was extremely slow, for from the Austrian frontier northward into Poland there was no railroad line and but very few good roads.

During July I was in every army from that standing before Warsaw to the most eastern flank holding back the enemy in the Bukowina district. The newspapers of the central Powers in July were rejoicing in the fact that the Austrians were completely rejuvenated and their morale restored to the same state that it was at the beginning of the war.

What the Germans did not say, however, was that in the line facing the Russians at this time there were not less than 26 interjections of German formations among the Austrians, not to mention the fact that innumerable Austrian regiments and divisions were partially officered by Germans in Austrian uniform, while we were told that the staffs of the armies of the dual monarchy were stiff with Germans.

As to the interjections of Germans among the Austrians I can speak with authority, for one of the generals commanding an important sector of the front engaged at this period of the operations showed me his personal map, on which the Austrians were marked in red and the Germans in blue, and I counted the places where the Teutons had been shoved in to stiffen up the Austrians.

Advance Comes to Halt.

If the efficiency of the Galician armies was braced up it is clear that it was due not to any new spirit among them but to the German supports. Toward the end of June this stiffening of Germans began to be quietly removed and from the moment the Teutons disappeared the advances immediately stopped.

In many places it could not be removed at all without the Austrians collapsing, with the result that many German troops which were sent as a loan to the Austrians soon became a permanent necessity to the portion of the front to which they had been sent and have, as far as I know, never been removed. In latter June and early July I was in the south, and in every army I was told that some German troops were being pulled out and sent somewhere to the west and north.

This I heard in the Ninth army on the Dniester, in the Eleventh near Tarnopol, and again from Brussilov himself, who with the Eighth army was holding the Krasne line as far north as Sokal. It was clear then that some big move was pending north of us and it was the opinion of all with whom I talked that the objective would be the Third army, which had its headquarters at Chelm and was the same army in name which had suffered disaster on the Dunajec line in early May.

Shift Attack to North.

Between this army and the Eighth was a newly formed one called the Thirteenth, which held the portion of the line between Sokal to a point almost exactly south of Chelm. A glance at a railroad map will show the Germans advancing via Rawa-Ruska to attack the Chelm-Lublin line were compelled to drag all of their guns and transports across the face of this Thirteenth army.

Roads to the west from this part of Poland were few and far between, and over a country which, except on highways, was almost impassable for motor transport of heavy guns. The Germans then moved slowly on this front because at no time during the war had they contended with so many disadvantages.

As soon as I learned the general trend of affairs, I left the armies of Galicia and went directly to the scene of the impending operations. Once out of Galicia, all of these armies fell under the group of the Warsaw defense which was commanded by Gen. Alexieff. On the trip from Galicia, which I made in a motor car, my mind was filled with apprehension as to how this Third army, after such terrible fighting for two months previous, could possibly withstand another drive.

Army Is Reorganized.

After an hour's talk with the General commanding this army my fears were largely dissipated, for I discovered that the army, though it bore the same number as that of the Dunajec line, was practically a new organization. The former commander, Dadko Demitreff, the Bulgarian, had been removed, and in his place a man hitherto unknown outside of his own sphere of action had been appointed.

This was Gen. Losche, formerly a division commander of the guards. The corps that had been so battered in May had been sent off to less active fronts to recuperate and refill, while other formations taken from all over the front had been sent down to stiffen up this line.

I have often been asked how one could get any idea as to the plans of the Russians or what they really had in mind. After a year of the war one could form a fairly accurate conclusion as to what they intended as soon as one found out what troops were in certain positions. The guards, the Caucasians, or the Siberians always mean expectation of heavy fighting and usually mean an offensive planned.

On this front I found the guards, two Siberian and two Caucasian corps, besides a large number of heavy guns coming slowly into position, having been taken from all parts of the Russian front to stiffen this line.

To realize the importance of this Chelm-Lublin line it is necessary to refer to the railroad map of Poland. It will be seen that the main avenue of retreat from Warsaw lay approximately east via Siedlec, then the headquarters of Alexieff, and Brest-Litovsk. A repitition of the Galician drive successfully carried out before Chelm meant that the Germans might have pushed north over a good road and with a railroad line to assist them on Brest and with a quick advance and plenty of cavalry could have reached Brest actually sooner than the garrison and defenders of Warsaw.

The program was ambitious and had it succeeded might have resulted in the destruction and capture of three or four of the Russian armies and the collapse of their whole scheme of defense.

The occupation of Chelm and Lublin meant the cutting of the line from Warsaw to the Galician front, which was a serious matter, as it meant the breaking off of direct communications between the two groups. The German plan was sound, and if successful might have broken down the Russian resistance and given them real ground for hoping that peace might result with Russia.

While this movement was gaining headway in the south a similar program was pending in the north on the so-called Narew line. To cut this line and get through to the railroad between Petrograd and Warsaw meant the isolation of the Polish capital from the north and its enforced evacuation.

Both the Narew and Chelm movements were actually under pressure, but inasmuch as the latter was the gravest menace and dominated for a week during the middle of January deserves to be considered first.

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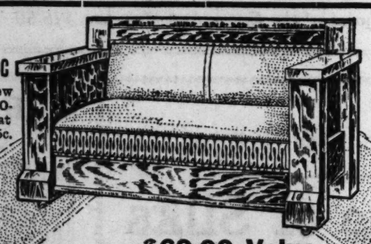
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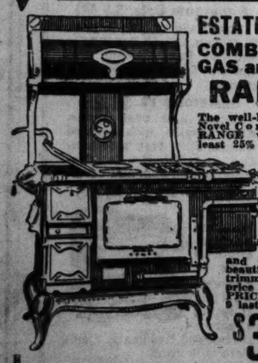


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$3 & $3.50 Shoes, $1.95



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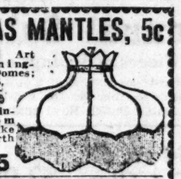
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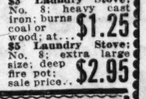
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Coming Lectures and Meetings

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Acting Chancellor Hall to Speak.
A series of free public lectures is being held on Monday afternoons at 4:30 o'clock, at Graham Memorial Chapel at Washington University. Tomorrow Acting Chancellor Hall of the university will speak. His topic will be "Iphigenia in Ancient and Modern Drama."

Illustrated Talk on Grand Canyon.
An illustrated lecture on "The Grand Canon," by the Kolb Bros., will be given by the Washington University Association, Tuesday night, at the medical school, Euclid and Scott avenues.

Debate on Preparedness.
A debate on "Preparedness" will be held at a dinner to be given by the Hawes Bible Class for Men at Central Presbyterian Church, Delmar boulevard and Clara avenue, Tuesday, at 6:30 p. m. Walter H. Saunders will speak for preparedness and Charles M. Hay against it.

Theosophical Society's Subject.
The Theosophical Society, at its meeting at 1504 South Grand avenue, at 8:30 o'clock tonight, will hear a lecture on "Earth's Guardians," by E. Y. Blum of Kansas City.

Coal Club to Hear Chicagoan.
The St. Louis Coal Club, at a dinner, at 7 p. m. tomorrow, at the American Annex, will hear Homer D. Jones of Chicago discuss "Co-Operation or Competition—Which?"

Mothers' Study Circle Meetings.
The Barr Branch Mothers' Study Circle will hold its annual meeting at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at Barr Branch Library. "Founders' Day" will be observed at the library Thursday at 3 p. m., when Dr. George R. Dodson will speak on "The Greatest Passage in American Literature."

John Masefield Here Tuesday.
John Masefield, the British sea poet, will lecture on "English Poetry," at Mary Institute, at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday. The lecture is under the auspices of the Vassar Club, but will be public.
The poet will read from some of his own works. He has not visited St. Louis before.

Will Talk at Open Forum.
Oscar Leonard, secretary of the Jewish and Educational Union, will speak on "The Vices of Capitalism," at the Opera Forum, 3733 Franklin avenue, at 8 o'clock tonight.

Travelogue at Soldan School.
A travelogue of the West and the San Francisco World's Fair will be given at the Soldan High School at 8 p. m. Friday by the Twentieth Century Art Club.

Frederick Palmer to Speak.
The members of the Mary Institute Alumnae Association, for their annual lecture to be held in Founder's Hall, Mary Institute, Lake and McPherson avenues, have arranged to have Frederick Palmer, the noted war correspondent, speak, Monday night, Feb. 21, on "Preparedness and the Present War." The lecture will be illustrated with moving pictures of scenes in the present conflict. Palmer was the first accredited correspondent permitted to visit the French front and likewise the first to view the British grand fleet "somewhere" in the North Sea. He was an eye-witness in the Chino-Japanese war, the Boer war, the Russo-Japanese war, the Turko-Italian war and the Balkan wars. Those in charge of the arrangements for the lecture are Mrs. George H. Shields Jr., Mrs. W. C. Fordyce, Mrs. Ernst Jonas and Mrs. G. F. Steedman. Palmer has recently written a series of articles for the Post-Dispatch on Preparedness.

W. U. Medical Society Meeting Tomorrow.
The twenty-eighth meeting of the Washington University Medical Society will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the department of pathology, Euclid avenue and King's highway.

AMERICANS LIVING IN FRANCE MUST PAY FRENCH INCOME TAX

Ranges From 80 Cents to $1940—Childless Couples Pay More Than Those With Children.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—The schedule of rates as finally decided upon for the new French income tax, which will affect Americans residing in France, as well as French citizens, ranges from a 4-franc tax on bachelors with a 6000-franc net income to a tax of 9700 francs ($1940) on an income of 500,000 francs ($100,000). Childless married persons with an income of $5000 will pay a tax of $33.60. Married persons with minor children will pay $19.20 on the same income.

Every person having an income of any kind in France must make a declaration. In case the taxpayer omits to make his declaration, the Tax Department has the right to fix the amount of his taxes arbitrarily, taking in the case of a householder the amount of the rent paid and multiplying it by an arbitrary figure to arrive at the probable total revenue.

In answer to the complaints of American residents against paying income tax both here and in the United States it is pointed out that French citizens living in America are also liable to pay a double income tax.

Drummers' Auxiliary to Give Party.
The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Southeast Missouri Drummers' Association will hold a charity euchre and "500" at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 3549 Olive street, Friday afternoon, Feb. 25, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

During the year 1915 the Post-Dispatch gained 3092 Real Estate and Farm Ads. It is the only St. Louis newspaper showing a gain. The others all lost.

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$1.00 Chiffon, 79c
42 inches wide; exceptionally fine quality, in white, black or popular colors; for waists or dresses. —Main floor.

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Heavy and medium weight Towels, fancy weave, with colored border and plain white; slightly soiled from display.

50c Bath Towels 27c
With pink borders or pink stripes, extra heavy, large size.

$1.35 Longcloth 97c
36 inches wide, soft finished, extra fine quality, 10-yard bolts. —Main floor.

12½c Linen Toweling, 9c
Heavy, all linen Crash Toweling. Unbleached.

59c Damask, 39c
72-Inch Union Linen Table Damask, fully bleached, pretty floral patterns to choose from.

65c Table Linens Yard, 45c
62-Inch Unbleached Table Linen, warranted all pure linen of good grade. —Main floor.

4080 Pairs Women's Sample Hosiery
(From Carson, Pirie & Scott Co., Distributors of Eiffel Hosiery)
at Savings of One-Half and More

Here is a trade event that at once establishes Lindell progressiveness and LINDELL VALUE-GIVING and will start off the 14-DAY SALE with a rush. Here are the MOST WONDERFUL HOSIERY VALUES St. Louis has seen. Despite the rapidly advancing prices occasioned by the cotton and dye situation, here are opportunities for women to save half and more on such dependable Hosiery as EIFFEL HOSIERY is known to be.

In this great purchase practically every style is included. In it are SILK, COTTON and LISLE Stockings of every color and style—every one guaranteed fast color. Far-seeing, economical women will anticipate their requirements for months to come and provide them from these

Seven Wonderful Value-Giving Lots—



Women's 25c & 35c Hosiery, Pr... 15c
865 pairs of Women's Fiber Boots and mercerized lisle and cotton. Full fashioned and seamless styles, in black and white, and the wanted colors. Extraordinary values.

Women's $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 Silk Hosiery, Pair.. 69c
Pure thread silk, some with lisle garter tops, others silk all the way up. All are full fashioned with high spliced heels and double soles and toes. Latest novelty stripes and plaids and figures, plain black and white and colors.

Women's 50c Silk Lisle Hosiery, Pr. 29c
Gilt edge Silk Lisle of the very finest imported German quality. All are full fashioned with double soles and toes and high spliced heels. Black only.

Women's 50c Hosiery, 25c
Silk lisle, Silk Boots, all-fiber silk, lavender tops, full fashioned and high spliced heels. Double soles and toes. Black, white and colors, pair **25c**

15c & 25c Cotton Hosiery, 9c
Fine gauge cotton Stockings, seamless ribbed tops and double garter tops. All double soles and heels. Black and white, pair..... **9c**

75c Silk Lisle Hosiery, 35c
Fine silk lisle, with lace instep. Full fashioned, high spliced heel, double soles and toes. White only, pair..... **35c**

50c Silk Hose, 25c Pair
Full fashioned, pure thread silk, high Boots, in all the latest shades and black and white, pair..... **25c** —Main floor.



Great Crowds of Men Again Monday
—and more phenomenal value-giving in MEN'S WEARABLES. Other lots have been added to the WASHINGTON F. G. CO. stock, bought at 50 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR, which bring sensational savings here Monday. Just a few of the many items:

50c Guyot Suspenders, 36c.
25c Boston and Paris Garters, 12c.
$1 and $1.25 Eclipse Shirts, 68c.
$1 and $1.25 Silk Neckwear, 59c.
25c Linen Handkerchiefs, 12½c.
25c Interwoven Hose, 17c, 3 for 50c.
$2 Perrin Gloves, pair, $1.
Men's $1 and $1.50 Gloves, 69c. —Main floor.



A Rousing Outgo of
Silk Dresses at $3.45

Street and Afternoon Dresses of good grade silk poplin, in colors navy, black, Copenhagen and wistaria. Some are in flaring, some tunic and some plaited effects. Many are embroidered; others are in pretty tailored effects.

All Winter Suits and Coats
Reduced to ½ and ⅓ of Former Prices
Quick and absolute dispersal is the motive behind such ruthless price cutting.
Suits, $9.90 $12.50 $14.50
Coats, $6.45 $10.00 $14.50
Many are richly fur trimmed, others plain tailored or embellished with braid. All late, authentic modes. —Third floor.



Women's $3 and $3.50 Shoes at $1.95
Footwear values that will bring scores of women to our new and enlarged Shoe Section. In the lots are the new 9-inch Boots in patent and glazed kid, patent button with cloth or kid tops, gunmetal button with cloth or kid tops. All sizes.

Misses' and Children's $1.50 to $2.25 Shoes, 95c
More of this splendid news of Children's Shoes that will delight parents and make more friends for the Children's Shoe Section; all sizes.



—Second floor.

Children's $5 to $8 Coats, $2.95
Final price cut in chinchillas, velvets, zibelines, plaids and fancy mixture coats. Some fur trimmed. Belted and loose models. Ages 1 to 6 years.

Envelope Chemise, 95c
Fine nainsook, back and front trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. Drawers also lace trimmed. Empire and plain models. All sizes.

75c Gowns, 58c
Excellent grade flannelette, double yoke, back and front, trimmed with neat braids.

98c Satine Petticoats, 69c
Well-made, full-cut garments. Skirt finished with two accordion pleated ruffles. Black, navy and gray. —Second floor.

Silk Values Without Precedent

$1.50 Plaid Silks, 80c
36-inch dark, pretty plaid Chiffon Taffetas. A limited quantity only.

$1.75 Charmeuse Silk, $1.23
40 inches wide, very rich, lustrous finish, dark and light shades, including cream and black.

$1.25 Silks, $1 Yard
Colored Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches wide, light and dark colors.

69c Striped Messalines, 48c
26 inches wide, on dark and light grounds. Greater part black or navy. An unequaled value, for Monday selling only.

White China Silks
39c 27-inch White China Silk, 30c.
45c 27-inch White China Silk, 35c.
65c 36-inch White China Silk, 45c.
75c 36-inch White China Silk, 55c.
85c 36-inch White China Silk, 65c.
$1 36-inch White China Silk, 88c.
$1 36-inch White Tub Pongee, 79c.
$1 32-inch fancy satin striped Tub Silks, very nice assortment at this low price, 85c. —Main floor.

Ivory at ½ Price
About 100 pieces of Ivory Mirrors and Hairbrushes, with slight factory irregularities, such as a black spot, slight mar, etc., articles which otherwise would sell at $1.00 to $3.45.
Monday, Half Price
—Main floor.



$20 & $22.50 9x12 Axminster Rugs, at $12.25
A miscellaneous assortment of Smith's, Sloane's and Bush & Terry's Axminster Rugs, which come to us as the result of a cash buying trade stroke. There is a pleasing assortment of good Oriental and floral designs, and every rug is guaranteed fresh and perfect.

$2.00 Axminster Rugs, $1
Included in this purchase are about 450 beautiful 27x54 in. Axminster Rugs, in patterns to match exactly the above 9x12 size. —Fourth floor.

Sale of Soiled Bedspreads

One lot of 59c Spreads, slightly soiled. Limited quantity..... **39c**
75c large size Crochet Spreads; slightly soiled, 73x84 in..... **59c**
$1 and $1.25 large size Spreads; hemmed or fringed styles..... **75c**
Large size $1.45 Crochet Hemmed Spreads, slightly soiled..... **$1**
$1.75 and $1.85 Large Crochet Spreads..... **$1.25**
$2.50 Marseilles Spreads..... **$1.95**

Sheets and Pillowcases

45x36-inch, Plain Hemmed Pillowcases, soft finish, closely woven. Each.. **10c**
45x36-inch Empire Pillowcases, subject to slight mill stains. Otherwise 25c grade. Each..... **15c**
81x90-inch Seamless Bed Sheets, finished with 3-inch hem. A very durable sheet for general use. 69c grade for..... **55c**
81x99-inch, standard size Sheets. Beautiful bleached cotton, seamless, Empire brand. Worth $1. Monday, each..... **75c**
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81x90 inch Seamless Sheets, hemmed, ready for use. Empire make. Regular 89c grade; each..... **59c** —Main floor.

Wismar Recital This Afternoon.

Walter Wismar will play his last program of a recital series this afternoon at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Miami street and Texas avenue. Walter Augustin, tenor, will be assisting soloist.

Euchre and 500 Party.

The ladies of the Blessed Sacrament Parish will entertain tomorrow with a euchre and 500 party in the school hall, King's highway and Maffitt avenue.

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The Newest Discovery in Chemistry.

This is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, who is head of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments at Dr. Pierce's Hospital for several years proved that there is no other eliminator of uric acid that can be compared to it. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, it is simply wonderful how surely "Anuric" acts. The best of results are always obtained in cases of acute rheumatism in the joints, in gravel and gout, and invariably the pains and stiffness which so frequently and persistently accompany the disease rapidly disappear.

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THIS WEEK'S BILLS AT ST. LOUIS PLAYHOUSES

Grand Opera, Odeon. San Carlo Co. opens two week's season tomorrow night, with "La Traviata."

"Watch Your Step," Olympic. Dancing and musical comedy melange, with Mrs. Vernon Castle, Frank Tinney and other popular entertainers.

"Whirl of the Times," Park, tomorrow night. Revue in 13 scenes, by Park Opera Co. "Baby Mine," by Players, twice today.

"Baby Mine," Shenandoah, tomorrow night. "Florodora," twice today.

Vaudeville, Columbia. Carolina White, prima donna, heads bill tomorrow.

Vaudeville, Grand. Borsini acrobats head bill tomorrow.

"Girl Without a Chance," Princess. White slave stuff.

Vaudeville and Comedy, Hippodrome. "Confusion."

Burlesque, Standard. "Blue Ribbon Belles."

Burlesque, Gayety. "Maids of America."

PHOTOPLAYS.

"The Battle Cry of Peace," Garrick. The invasion of America—a plea for preparedness.

American. "Love's Altar" and three comedy films.

King's. "D'Artagnan," "Acquitted," and two comedy films.

New Grand Central. Mary Pickford in "Poor Little Peppina."

EVERYBODY DANCE! 'WATCH YOUR STEP' TO OPEN TONIGHT

Castle-Berlin Show at Olympic, Shubert Dark, Park Has Revue This Week.

While Eastern theatrical papers are still voicing their wonderment over the record-making receipts of the Ziegfeld Follies at the Olympic Theater week before last, the Olympic is preparing for another big musical show. "Watch Your Step," this week's bill, is the same production which scored last season's notable success at the New Amsterdam Theater, New York.

Vernon Castle, who has flown away at the call of his King and his country, is not now with the show, but his wife, the dainty Irene, who is perhaps the most imitated woman on the American stage, will be here, with most of the other leading members of the New York cast.

The title of "Watch Your Step" is taken from the command mechanically and megaphonically uttered, at the rush hours, by guards in the New York subway. The performance is described as a happy mixture of dancing, music, dancing, comedy and dancing. Irving Berlin got up the music, which is not of classical character and which includes some songs already fairly well known here. At times when Mrs. Castle and other nimble persons are not dancing, Frank Tinney tells the story of his life, and Harry Kelly, Bernard Granville, Elizabeth Price and Charles King and Harry Ellis contribute their "bit" to the enjoyment.

"The Eternal Magdalene," the play in which Julia Arthur returned to the stage after an absence of a dozen years, will be next week's bill at the Olympic, opening Feb. 20. Florence Roberts, an accomplished actress, who was leading woman of the King's Theater Stock Company here last season, will take the principal role in the performance here.

The Shubert Theater will not make its usual demand on its neighbor, the Union Electric Co., for lighting current this week. Next week the furniture farce, "Twin Beds," will return to the Twelfth street house.

The Park Theater will give its operatic company another chance to "cut loose" in a performance of the revue type when it puts on "The Whirl of the Times" tomorrow night. Frank Moulan has been directed to be as funny as he can—which is a pretty big order—and Mabel Wilber, Louise Allen, Sarah Edwards, George Natanson, Francis J. Boyle, Billy Kent and Harry Fender will help to keep up the whirling pace in a performance of 13 scenes. Arthur Barckly, a new tenor, will make his first appearance with the company. Monzo Price, with the aid of Moulan and Kent, got up the show. "Baby Mine" will kick up its farceful little toes at the Shenandoah this week.

Tomorrow night, the inaugural night of the Park revue, is Advertising Club night at the Park, and as it is also Valentine night the admen have arranged to throw comic valentines, with local application, on the screen. The club's officers have also helped out the management by whittling out some wheezes, whinnies and plain jokes, to be used whenever the audience seems able to endure them.

The Columbia Theater management regards its bill for this week as one of the most attractive and best balanced of the season. Carolina White, prima donna, who sang the title role in the "Girl of the Golden West" at the Coliseum a few seasons ago, heads the list of entertainers. Laura Nelson Hall will appear in a one-act play, "Demi-Tasse," by Robert McLaughlin, author of "The Eternal Magdalene." William Pruette, a well-known light opera comedian, will appear with others in "A Holland Romance," and will sing his song of a bygone season, "I Want What I Want When I Want It."

"The Girl Without a Chance," an underworld play, will be at the Princess Theater this week. The Borsini bunch of bounders and benders heads the Grand Opera House vaudeville bill, with Russell's Minstrels second. At the Gayety the "Maids of America" burlesque troupe will offer a two-act satire, "The Girl From Starland." At the Standard, the "Blue Ribbon Belles," with Lee Hickman as chief comedian, will put on two musical farces.

Park Players to Feature Traveling Stars, Beginning Next Week.

A return to the old system of movable stars, with a fixed stock company in support, has been announced by the Park and Shenandoah Theaters management, as applying to its dramatic company, The Players. It will not affect the Park Opera Company.

The new system will go into effect Feb. 21, when Florence Reed will appear at the Park in "The Yellow Ticket," supported by The Players. The production will go to the Shenandoah the following week, and Miss Reed will then play two more weeks in another bill. Other stars who are to come later are Mary Boland and Bertha Kalich. This plan, it is announced, will be carried out in connection with two other stock theaters, the Denham in Denver and the Alcazar in San Francisco. It is hoped to add to this list enough other houses to make a chain of 10 theaters, each with its supporting company, among which the stars will move. William J. Flynn, general manager of the Park and Shenandoah, who has made the arrangement thus far completed, is working on the balance of the plan.

"Battle Cry of Peace" to Stay at Garrick; Interest Growing.

Instead of closing yesterday, as had been announced, "The Battle Cry of Peace," a film-plea for preparedness, opened its fourth week at the Garrick Theater. Public interest in the theme of this photoplay has been heightened within the last week, by the Garrison resignation. Several organizations and groups, both of adults and children, will see the film this week, tomorrow night being Wilson Club night, and Thursday and Friday nights being allotted to delegations of clubwomen.

PAGEANT CHORUS TO GIVE MAZONI MASS MARCH 14

The Manzoni Requim, a mass for the dead, has been selected for the final concert, March 4, of the second season of the St. Louis Pageant Choral Society.

Four soloists, three from other cities, have been engaged for the solo parts in the mass, which is divided into seven parts and in the rendition of which the Pageant Choral Society, of 200 voices, will be accompanied by the entire St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.

The St. Louisan among the soloists is Mrs. E. George Payne, mezzo soprano, who sings at the Church of the Messiah. The three out-of-town soloists are Marjorie Dodge Warner of Chicago, Charles E. Galagher of Cincinnati, basso, and Albert Linquest of New York City, tenor, who last season was heard with the Pageant Choral in the Messiah.

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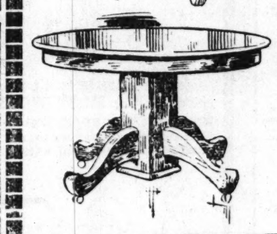
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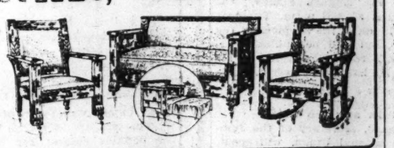


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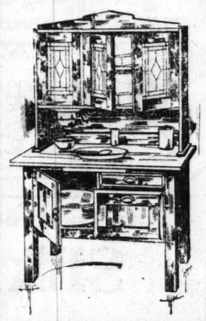


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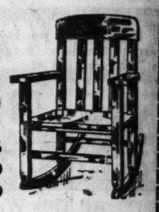


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"TRAVIATA" FIRST SAN CARLO OPERA IN ODEON SERIES

Twelve Distinct Bills to Be Given in Company's Two Weeks' Engagement.

Twelve distinct grand opera bills will be sung by the San Carlo Opera Company in its two weeks' engagement at the Odeon, which opens tomorrow night. There are 106 in the organization, including chorus, orchestra and ballet.

Six "guest artists" from the Chicago and Boston grand opera companies, beside Director Giacomo Spadoni, have been added to the San Carlo forces for this engagement. They are Marguerite Beriza, Myrna Sharlow and Alice Eversman, sopranos; Enrico Aresoni, tenor; Millo Picco, baritone, and Karl Cochems, bass. Director Spadoni will alternate with Giuseppe Angelini, of the regular San Carlo organization, in conducting the concerts.

The roster of regular San Carlo principals for the local engagement, announced yesterday, will be as follows:

Sopranos, Mary Kaestner, Edvige Vaccari, Sophie Charlebois, Carlotta Cechetti; mezzo-sopranos, Carolina Zawner, Stella de Mette, Annette Chabot, Alice Homer, Anita Haase, Edith Alvord; tenors, Giuseppe Agostini, Manuel Salazar, Alfredo Graziani, Luciano Rossini; baritones, Angelo Antola, Alessandro Modesti, Luigi Dellemolle; basses, Pietro di Biasi, Natale Cervi; premiere danseuses, Margherita Pezzatini, Ortille Preetorius.

The list of operas for this week, with the organizations or special occasions associated with each performance, and with the casts of principals, is as follows:

Monday night, "La Traviata," for Italian Red Cross. Principals—Vaccari, Homer, Alvord, Agostini, Antola, Dellemolle, Cervi.

Tuesday night, "Aida," Million Population Club. Principals—Kaestner, Zawner, Modesti, Salazar, Di Biasi, Cervi.

Wednesday night, "Thais," Grand Opera Committee. Principals—Beriza, Picco, Graziani, Chabot, Haase, De Mette and Di Biasi.

Thursday matinee, "Aida," public schools. Cast as on Tuesday, except that Agostini takes place of Salazar. Thursday night, "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "I Pagliacci," North St. Louis Business Men's Association. Principals—Cechetti, De Mette, Salazar, Antola, Haase, Charlebois, Aresoni, Rossini, Dellemolle.

Friday night, "Faust," Century Boat Club. Principals—Agostini, Cochems, Antola, De Mette, Dellemolle, Beriza and Haase.

Saturday matinee, "Tales of Hoffman." Principals—Vaccari, Charlebois, Alvord, De Mette, Cervi, Chabot, Dellemolle, Picco, Di Biasi, Rossini.

Saturday night, "Il Trovatore." Principals—Kaestner, Zawner, Salazar, Modesti, Homer, Di Biasi and Rossini.

The second week's repertoire will be: Monday night, Feb. 21, "Lucia di Lammermoor," Catholic Women's League; Tuesday matinee, "Aida;" Tuesday night, "Rigoletto;" Wednesday night, "Carmen;" Thursday matinee, "Martha;" Thursday night, "La Gioconda;" Friday night, "La Traviata;" Saturday matinee, "Thais," and Saturday night, "Cavalleria" and "I Pagliacci."

The opening night's opera, "La Traviata," is a version of Dumas' drama "Camille," and was composed by Giuseppe Verdi in 1853, shortly after "Il Trovatore." The second bill, "Aida," is a later work of Verdi, and its scene is a rich Egyptian setting.

SYMPHONY TO GO TO TEXAS AFTER THE "POP" TODAY

Society to Give Several Concerts in the Lone Star State—To Return Next Sunday.

The following program is announced for the Symphony "Pop" concert this afternoon:

Processional March (First time.) ..... Turnbull
Overture to "Mignon" ..... Thomas
Egyptian Ballet ..... Luigini
Entrance of the Gods to Walhalla, from "Das Rheingold" (First time at these concerts.) ..... Wagner
Moto Perpetuo ..... Strauss
Two Norwegian Dances ..... Grieg
Waltz—La Gitana ..... Bucalossi

The orchestra members will leave immediately after the concert for Texas. They will play in Fort Worth, Tex., tomorrow evening, and at San Antonio Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. During the San Antonio music festival five concerts in all will be given. Another stop will be made at Springfield, where a concert will be given Saturday evening; and they will be here next Sunday morning, in time to give the usual "pop" concert.

There will be no Symphony concerts of the subscription series this week and next. March 3 and 4 are the dates of the next pair of concerts.

HEMPEL CONCERT ON FEB. 28

Prima Donna Will Appear at Odeon in Varied Program.

Frieda Hempel, prima donna coloratura of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will make her St. Louis debut in a recital at the Odeon on Feb. 28 in the following program:

O, Had I Jubal's Lyre ..... Handel
O, Sleep, Why Dost Thou Leave Me? ..... Handel
Widmung ..... Schumann
Der Nussbaum ..... Schumann
Die Forelle ..... Schubert
Hark, Hark, the Lark ..... Schubert
Vergebliches Ständchen ..... Brahms
Aria—Ernani Involami, from Ernani ..... Verdi
Song of the Nile ..... Courtland Palmer
Phillis Has Such Charming Graces ..... Old English
The Lass With the Delicate Air ..... Old English
Elfenlied ..... Wolf
Gretel ..... Pfitzner
Blue Danube Waltz ..... Strauss

FIVE STRASSBERGER RECITALS

Five recitals by Strassberger Conservatories students are scheduled for Feb. 17 to 24. Three of these are to take place at the Southside schools, Feb. 17, 18 and Feb. 20, at 3 o'clock.

The North Side recitals take place Feb. 21 and 24 at 8 p. m.

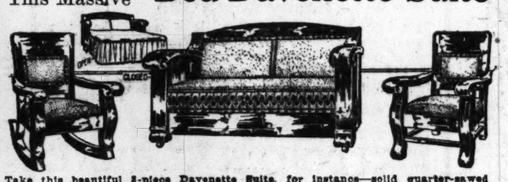


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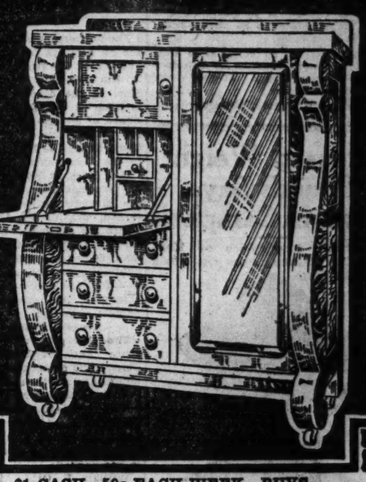


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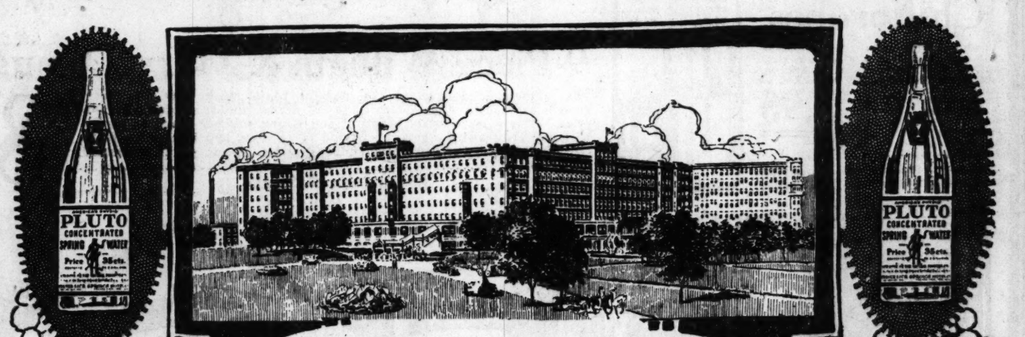
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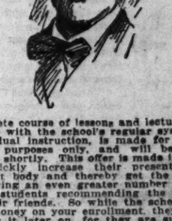
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GRAVES MEN SEE POLITICAL PLOT IN NEW WARD LINES

Proposed Boundary Changes Would Shift G. J. Hug From 11th to 14th.

The supporters of Circuit Clerk Graves see an attempt to deprive one of their number of the fruits of a political fight in the Eleventh Ward on the South Side, in the proposed change of ward boundaries submitted Friday in the Board of Aldermen, which would transfer the residence of Deputy Circuit Clerk George J. Hug from the Eleventh to the Fourteenth Ward.

Hug lives at 3506 Arsenal street, and his precinct literally is carved out of the Eleventh to be added to the Fourteenth, making an irregular line between the adjacent wards. He has been leading a fight against City Committeeman Eggeman, who is regarded as a Schmoll adherent, and the Hug forces say they are in a position to unseat Eggeman as committeeman at the August primary.

Several Other Complaints.

The Hug complaint is only one of a score that developed when a special aldermanic committee submitted its recommendations for redistributing the voters in the 28 city wards. The opposition manifested at the first inspection of the proposed ward map led several aldermen to predict that the plan never would be adopted in the shape in which it is reported.

William F. Otto, Alderman from the Fourth Ward, and Wilbur C. Schwartz, Alderman from the Twentieth, found they would no longer be residing in the wards they represent if the plan is adopted. Neither expressed annoyance at this fact and both said they contemplated removing to the new location.

Lawyers say that Alderman Otto would disqualify himself and be forced out of office if he removed from his present address at 1540 North Fifteenth street to the new Fourth Ward proposed at the western city limits.

Must Stay in District.

The charter states that Aldermen shall reside during their term of office in the district from which they were elected. If Alderman Otto removes before his term ends in April, 1917, he will shorten his official career. If he desires to become a candidate in the new Fourth Ward at the western city limits he can only do so by having resided in the new district at least one year, according to the charter.

Alderman Schwartz would only have to remove a short distance from his present address, 3380 Bell avenue, to reenter the Twentieth Ward, and would not be required to move from the district from which he was elected.

ST. LOUIS COMMUNITY TRUST HOLDS ITS FIRST MEETING

J. Lionberger Davis Heads Foundation That Will Distribute Money for General Welfare of Public.

The first and organization meeting of the committee of the St. Louis Community Trust was held yesterday, at the St. Louis Union Trust Co. All of the members of the committee were present.

J. Lionberger Davis was elected chairman; Aaron Waldheim, vice chairman, and Arthur H. Burg was appointed temporary secretary. Reports were made from Cleveland, Chicago and Milwaukee showing that large sums had been given directly, in addition to the large bequests contained in wills, for the carrying forward of the work of the Community Trust or Foundation in those cities.

The general plan of the St. Louis Community Trust provides that funds, small or large, may be given or bequeathed to the St. Louis Union Trust Co. as trustees; the income from such trust funds to be distributed by the committee when available for any purpose which in the opinion of the committee is for the upbuilding of the general welfare of the community.

Three of the committee of five to distribute the funds are appointed by public officials and two by the Board of Directors of the St. Louis Union Trust Co., thereby insuring public control of the funds which are available for distribution.

RETAIL HARDWARE DEALERS TO MEET HERE THIS WEEK

Model Farm Power House Will Be Attractive Exhibit at State Convention.

The Missouri Retail Hardware Dealers' Association will hold its nineteenth annual convention for three days beginning Tuesday, in the Furniture Board of Trade Building, Fourteenth and Locust streets. The exhibition will occupy the second floor, while the convention will be held on the first floor.

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Sodality Euchre and Dance.

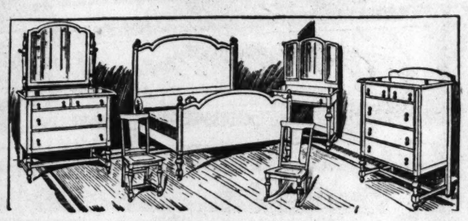
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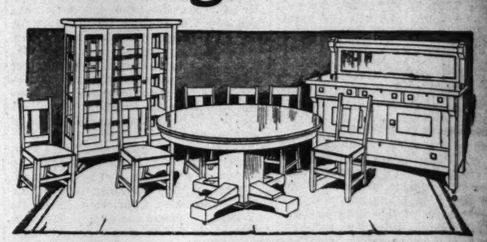


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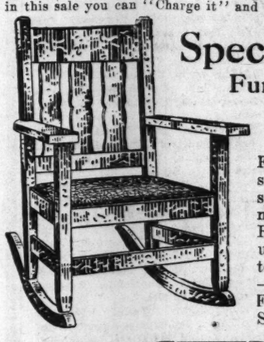
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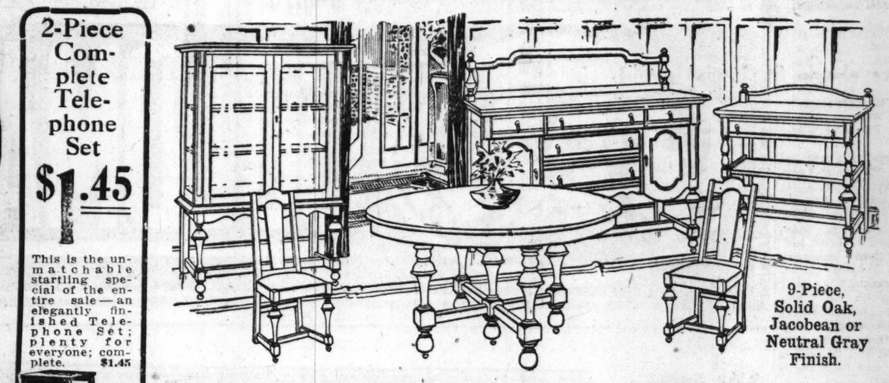
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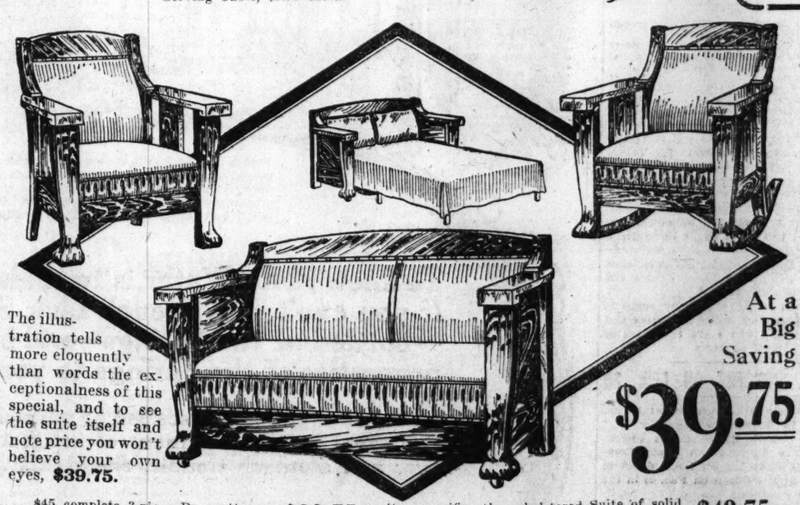
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$21 Kitchen Cabinets, this sale.....$13.00
$39.75 Kitchen Cabinets, this sale..$23.50

Carpet Sacrifices

From our enormous floor of Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums, etc., we have grouped these specials—

Inlaid Linoleum—All colors and patterns; yard.....65c
27x54 Velvet Rugs—in this gigantic sale.....95c
Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs—9x12 feet; at..$17.50
Brussels Rugs—Loom woven; 9x12; all patterns choice, in this Original February Furniture Sale..$9.75

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Rug Reductions

We have a reputation as the Carpet and Rug Store of Washington avenue. Good Rugs at popular prices. In this sale the prices are so low no further comment is necessary,

9x12 Matting Rugs—better grade.....$1.95
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CITY ART MUSEUM OPEN THIS EVENING FROM 7:30 TO 10

Special Exhibition of Works by French and Belgian Artists and Americans.

The City Art Museum in Forst Park will be open from 7:30 to 10 o'clock this evening so that the public may view the special exhibitions in the west wing of the museum.

Works by French and Belgian artists, which were recently exhibited at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, including paintings, sculpture and prints to the number of 321, as well as a collection of portraits by prominent American artists, are on view.

Much interest centers in the great impressionist canvas by Henri Martin, entitled, "The Lovers," which occupies the most prominent position in the main gallery west of the sculpture hall.

BOY HIT BY AUTO TRUCK DIES; SECOND FATALITY OF YEAR

Driver Arrested and Held for Coroner's Inquest Into Death of Preston Burkhart.

Preston Burkhart, 15 years old, of 4223 Evans avenue, died at the city hospital yesterday from injuries received when struck about 5 o'clock, Friday evening, by an auto truck in front of 4260 Easton avenue.

The boy's death was the second this year due to automobile accidents. The death of William P. Fahey, 7 years old, of 5218 Ridge avenue, who was struck Jan. 7, when roller skating in the streets, was the first. There were 64 deaths resulting from automobile accidents last year.

Frank Gunnie of 1451 Monroe street, driver of the truck which struck Gurkhart, was arrested shortly after the boy's death and held for the Coroner's inquest. Gunnie carried the boy to a drug store after the accident.

Persons who told the police they witnessed the accident said the boy stepped from behind a Wellston car into the path of the auto.

Y. W. C. A. JUBILEE VESPER SERVICE THIS AFTERNOON

Entertainment Will Be Conducted Under the Auspices of the Girls' Work Department.

The jubilee vesper service at the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon will be conducted by the girls' work department, of which Miss Gertrude L. Prack is secretary and Miss Louise Espenschied general chairman.

Miss Helen Rosebrough will preside. The program will open with a processional by the Hearth Fire Girls, and will include a vocal number by Miss Lois Wuerpel, a violin solo by Miss Amy Rule, reading the Scripture by Miss Mildred Jackson, a prayer by Miss Katherine Bain and a talk on "Our Companionship" by Miss Prack.

Presidents of all the groups of Hearth Fire Girls in St. Louis will have places on the platform. Among them will be Misses Corinne Schweizer, Alice Daniels, Mary Oliver, Edna Donnelly, Nora Hanrahan, Hazel Lytton, Lillie Stein, Catherine Hennecker, Norma Deggendorf, Frances Haverkamp and Victoria Cziminski. The service will begin at 3:30 p. m. and will close with tea at 5 o'clock.

JUNIOR LEAGUE WORKERS TO PLAY "LOVE IN TOYLAND"

Proceeds of Performance to Be Used to Establish Lunchrooms for Factory-District Employes.

The Junior League of St. Louis, a branch of the national Junior League of Hospital Workers, will give three performances of the pantomime-musical comedy "Love in Toyland" at the Victoria Theater, March 3 and 4, to raise funds for enlarging the work of the organization. The plans include two evening performances and one matinee.

Mrs. John H. Holliday is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements. Members of her committee are Mrs. Harry Potter, Mrs. Walter Crunden, Misses Eleanor Dozier, Edith Whittemore, Nancy Scott and Mary D. Jones. Miss Frances Filley is chairman of the ticket committee, assisted by Misses Martha Pitman and Katherine Dameron, and Miss Georgia Elliot is head of the volunteer committee.

Proceeds of "Love in Toyland" will go towards establishing lunchrooms in the factory district for factory workers.

SKATER DEFIED DANGER SIGN

Says Park Lake Ice Was Three to Seven Inches Thick.

Joseph Forshaw Jr., in a letter to the Post-Dispatch today, complained that Park Commissioner Cunliffe posted danger signs on Forest Park lakes Feb. 6, 7 and 8, when the ice was in reality from three to seven inches thick wherever Forshaw tested it. He said he defied a park officer on Tuesday, Feb. 8, and skated on the lagoons with a small party of friends without mishap while the danger signs were out.

Commissioner Cunliffe said he had the ice tested also on the days in question, and was convinced it was unsafe to allow the public on the lakes, although it was strong enough for a few skaters in all likelihood. He said it was his policy to keep the lakes open to skaters as long as possible, but that he would not permit crowds to skate when there was any reason to doubt the strength of the ice.

SECOND LIEDERKRANZ CONCERT

Society's Offering Saturday Night Will Be Pretentious One.

A pretentious program has been arranged for the second concert of the season by the Liederkranz Club chorusses, in the club auditorium next Saturday night. "Melusina," a cantata in two parts, by Heinrich Hofmann, with Mme. Dorothea North of Chicago, Mrs. Arthur C. Schultz, Frank H. Spahn and William Porteous as soloists, will be the offering of the singers.

The orchestra will be composed entirely of stringed instruments.

Mrs. A. O. Grimes Dies.

Mrs. A. O. Grimes, 2346 Shenandoah avenue, died yesterday morning from a goitre. She was 37 years old and the daughter of the late J. A. J. Shultz, who was president of the Shultz Belting Co. For the last two or three years she had been secretary and treasurer of the Hosmer Hall Art Society.

Epworth League Union Meeting.

The St. Louis District Epworth League Union will hold a mass meeting Thursday evening at the Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Grand avenue and Connecticut street. A silver loving cup will be awarded to the league having the largest percentage of its membership present. William E. Bilheimer will speak.



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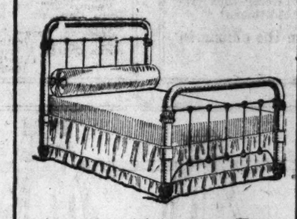


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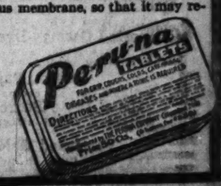
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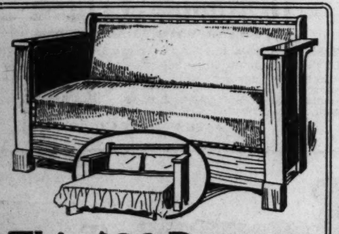
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Fifth Floor

Men's "Wright's" Underwear
Standard $1 Quality, 55c
"Wright's" fleeced Shirts or Drawers in various colors; broken lines & slight seconds; every garment bearing "Wright's" label; about 1500 garments in the lot.
Main Floor

SPECIAL OFFERINGS MONDAY IN
Sewing Machines

$60 Singer No. 66 Cabinet Sewing Machines, Early English & mahogany finish, $45.
$45 Singer No. 66 7-Drawer Drophead Sewing Machines, oak finish, $35.
$30 Sample Sewing Machines—limited number—slightly marred; Wheeler & Wilson, Siegel Rotary, White Rotary, Ebro Rotary, Domestic & other good makes; choice, $18.
$15 New Sewing Machines, drophead, $12.
$45 New Home Sewing Machines, $27.50.
All machines guaranteed for 10 years. Lessons Free.

The Free Co. buys your old Machine if you buy a Free Cabinet Machine.
Fifth Floor

$1.50 to $2.00 Untrimmed Hats 85c
Satin & straw combinations in styles right up to the moment; satin with straw facings, flanges in the new sailor and turban effects; black & all colors; exceptional values.
Hats trimmed free in this section.
Basement Economy Store

$2.50 to $3.00 Lace Curtains $1.50
250 pairs, French Cable Net, Scotch Net, Filet Net, etc.; copies of imported handmade kinds; 2½ to 3½ yards long; 45 to 54 inches wide; 1 to 15 pairs of a pattern.
Basement Economy Store

Women's $1.98 New Spring Waists $1.65
White Voile, Lingerie & Organdie Waists new spring models; convertible collars, full length sleeves. Elaborated with panels of embroidery linen & Cluny lace insertion; some allover embroidered fronts; sizes 36 to 46.
$2.00 to $3.00 Silk Waists, $1.29
Oddments, 212 in the lot; sizes to 44. Roman stripes, fancy Japs, velvets, messalines, Nuns' veiling; plain or trimmed.
Basement Economy Store

NEW WALL PAPERS

Special values that should interest all prospective Wall Paper purchasers.

Imported German-Dyed Oatmeal Papers
30 inches wide; wanted shades; regularly 15c, Monday special, per roll, 5½c.
5c Wall Papers, 2c
Suitable for all rooms; neat borders.
10c & 12½c Bedroom Papers, 6c
Striped & floral effect with cut-out borders.
Varnished Gold Paper, 7c
The kind that do not tarnish; wide or narrow border to match.
20c Varnished Tile Papers, 12c
For bathrooms & kitchens.
30c & 35c Tiffany Blend Papers, 22c
Also light color tapestry effects for living room, dining room or halls.
Room Lot of Paper, 54c
For attic or back hall; room size 12x14. We furnish competent paper hangers & guarantee their work.
Fourth Floor

Much to Save Monday on Housewares

70c Dishpans, 47c
14-qt. Blue Diamond Steel enameled ware; white inside.
$3.48 Gas Heaters, $2.75
Low gas radiator, nickel trimmed.
$3.00 Electric Irons, $2.25
6-lb. Westinghouse, complete with cord & socket.
85c Stepladders, 62c
7-ft., with bucket rest. Well seasoned wood.
69c Door Mats, 42c
Rubber, 18x36, various designs.
50c Floor Mops, 32c
Jewel Cedar Mops, ready for use; with handle.
$1.25 Teakettles, 79c
5-qt., "Vollrath", enameled, blue & white; white inside.
$1 Chamois Skins, 74c
Large household size.
10c Shelf Paper, 5c
Lace edge, 10 yards to bolt; white, pink & green.
Toilet Paper, 10 Rolls 24c
Good quality tissue; good size rolls.
80c Wool Wall Dusters, 62c
Large ceiling Duster, with long handle.
85c Waffle Irons, 65c
No. 8, low cast iron; revolving style.
50c Mayonaise Mixers, 35c
Cosmos Egg Beater & Mayonnaise Mixer, china bowl.
$1.15 Clothes Bars, 87c
6-ft., Valley; well made.
$1.10 Food Choppers, 79c
No. 1 Universal, extra cutting blades.
$1.50 Berlin Kettles, 89c
4-qt. Aluminum Berlin Kettles or Berlin Saucepans, with cover.
50c Androck Ovens, 37c
Can be used for roasting, toasting & heating sad irons.
55c Bread Boxes, 39c
Heavy tin, hinge cover, nicely japanned, blue or brown.
Lenox Soap, 20 Cakes 48c
Procter & Gamble's Laundry Soap; large size cake.
Light House Cleanser, 8 Cans 27c
Armour & Co.'s large sifter top can.
No Phone or Mail Orders Filled on Soap or Cleansers.
Basement Gallery

Roller Towels, 29c
Ready made; 2½ yards each; heavy crash, with red borders; while 500 last.
Remnants Linen Crash, 6½c
Bleached & brown Crash; lengths 1 to 3 yards, for kitchen or roller towels.
60c Mer. Table Damask, 44c
Full 2 yards wide; highly mercerized; demi-pieces; some have small stains.
Basement Economy Store

Pepperell Wide Sheetings for 20c

4c per yard less than mill is asking today for regular goods; 2½ yards wide; mill cuts 2½ to 7½ yards. On sale Monday, only, while 3 cases last.

Famous-Barr Longcloth, 89c
36 inches wide; soft finish; 10-yard bolts; snow white.
$1 to $1.15 Large Sheets, 85c
Same weight & count as pequot; snow white, seamless; occasional oil stains; 72x108, 90x99 & 90x90 inches.
Table Felt, 25c Yard
54 inches wide; demi-pieces; good weight; 1500 yards.
Bleach Muslin Remnants, 7½c
36-inch Muslin & Cambrics; similar to fruit, Hope or Lonsdale; lengths 2 to 10 yards; not over 20 yards to customer.
Pillowcases, $1.50 Doz.
Slightly stained; worth $2.40 per dozen; 42x36-inch size.
32-In. Dress Ginghams, 11c
Beautiful plaids, checks & stripes; remnants; pure dyes; fast colors.

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
35c & 39c Kinds, 23c
Low neck, sleeveless, lace knee, extra & regular sizes.
Children's 15c "M" Waists, 11c
Bleached Knit Underwaists, taped to carry all weight from shoulders.
Women's 50c Vests or Pants, 29c
Extra & regular sizes, fleeced or unfleeced.
Men's 19c & 25c Socks, 11c
Silk Isle, black & colors, slight irregulars.
Basement Economy Store

What Movies Shall I See This Week?

The BEST are ADVERTISED on the first WANT page—also in the amusement columns.

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ALLIES TO FIGHT THE DISARMING OF MERCHANT SHIPS

Controversy Expected With England if This Government Upholds Germany's Contention That Armed Vessels Are Warships.

Washington Does Not Regard Seriously Statement That Decision Would Be Regarded by Entente as Unneutral.

Full German Memorandum Received at State Department—United States Must Act Quickly.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Germany's memorandum to neutral nations, advising them that after Feb. 29 submarine commanders will attack armed enemy merchantment without warning, was received in full at the department late this afternoon. Neither Secretary Lansing nor Counselor Polk has seen it, because of the semi-holiday. The text of the memorandum, however, was given out in Berlin and ata least its essential parts have been published in this country. The full text will not be given out by the State Department before tomorrow night or Monday.

Administration officials today showed no signs of being disturbed over the vigorous protests in the British press against the German announcement, and against the suggestion of Secretary Lansing that all guns be removed from merchantmen. A high official pointed out that it undoubtedly will be necessary for the United States to take a position on the matter before the end of this month, regardless of whener replies are received from the entente Powers.

There is no longer any doubt in official circles that Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Russia will not subscribe to the disarming proposal. This is more especially true of Great Britain and Italy, but the other entente Powers will join in their refusal if requested to do so. A long and bitter controversy seems inevitable.

Allies Are Worried.

A possible change in the American regulations governing the entry and clearing of their armed merchant ships, rather than the new submarine threat from Germany appears to be causing the allies most worry. The informal announcement from London that any change in the regulations would be regarded there as an "unneutral act," was the subject of much comment at the State Department today. A high official said that such a change could hardly be seriously regarded as an "unneutral act." He conceded that it might be called an "unfriendly act."

To the British press quotation of President Wilson's assertion that a change in the policy of permitting exposition of arms would be "an unneutral act" it is the contention here that shipments of war munitions and the possible closing of American ports to armed merchant vessels do not present cases at all similar.

The administration's position on the embargo question has been that to deprive belligerents who have come to depend on receiving supplies from this country would be unneutral. On the other hand, if the United States should say to the entente Powers that hereafter armed merchantmen would be regarded as naval auxiliaries and treated as such in American ports, Great Britain and her allies would not be deprived of anything on which they had come to depend.

Most British liners now sailing from American ports are unarmed, but, according to reports, practically all allied ships operating in the Mediterranean and elsewhere go armed. A modification of the rules governing armed ships, therefore, would not apply nearly as much to ships entering American ports except those of Italy as to ships visiting the ports of other countries, which already go armed, and with which the United States has nothing to do.

It can be stated on high authority that some of the entente representatives are willing to concede that it is an open question whetner their commerce would suffer more if all merchant vessels went unarmed than if they continue to carry guns and take chances on submarine attacks. It is believed certain, however, that Great Britain will reject the suggestion that her ships go unarmed and that her allies will follow suit.

Secretary Lansing and other officials declined today to give the slightest indication as to what will be the American attitude toward the new German announcement. They took particular pains to reiterate that the sending of a memorandum to the entente Powers did not commit the United States to the policy of disarming all merchantmen.

Modification Is Expected.

Despite the assurances, however, there is a well-defined belief in Washington that the existing regulations governing armed liners in our ports will be modified. In that event a formal warning

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FAIR AND COLDER TODAY AND WARMER TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

5 a. m.	33	6 p. m.	30
9 a. m.	32	7 p. m.	29
12 (noon)	35	8 p. m.	28
3 p. m.	33	9 p. m.	27



Humidity at 7 p. m. yesterday, 100 per cent.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair and colder today; tomorrow fair, with rising temperature.

Illinois — Partly cloudy and colder today; fair, with rising temperature tomorrow.

Missouri—Fair today, with colder in east portion; tomorrow, fair, with rising temperature.

WOMAN INHERITS $10,000 AND HOME FOR 20 YEARS' KINDNESS

Henry Davis Cleveland Divides Estate Between Mrs. Mildred T. Schweickhardt and His Sister.

The will of Henry Davis Cleveland, 72 years old, who died Wednesday at his home, 5015 Cates avenue, was filed for probate yesterday.

Mrs. Mildred T. Schweickhardt, who, with her husband, Henry Schweickhardt, lives at the Cates avenue address, is to get $10,000 and the Cleveland home. It was provided that $5000 should go to Schweickhardt in the event his wife was not alive at the time of testator's death, and the husband survived. The will recites that this bequest was made in consideration of the kindness of the Schweickhardts to Cleveland for 20 years.

The residue of the estate goes to Miss Mary Agnes Cleveland of Perry, N. Y., a sister of the testator. The sister, S. D. Barlow and C. Hunt Turner were appointed in the will as executors. The Public Administrator had filed on the estate.

Cleveland lived in St. Louis 40 years. He retired from business 15 years ago. Mrs. Schweickhardt said she was distantly related to Cleveland.

VENUS AND JUPITER TO BE IN CONJUNCTION THIS EVENING

St. Louisans Will See Celestial Cabaret if Sky Is Clear Soon After Sunset.

Assuming that the sky will be clear this evening, St. Louisans will get a view of the celestial cabaret which Venus and Jupiter are to "put on" at 6:25 o'clock.

A conjunction is to take place at that time. This means that the two planets, although they will be 430,000,000 miles apart, will be in such a position that they will appear, to the ordinary observer, as one bright luminary. With a telescope, even a small one, the separation between them can be distinguished.

The planets—again assuming clear weather—will be visible when the sun sets at 5:31, but will be looking their gayest a little less than an hour after sunset.

COLLECTIONS FOR POOR TO BE TAKEN ON STREET CARS FEB. 28

This Year Separate Boxes Will be Installed for Donations to Charitable Societies.

Monday, Feb. 28, will be a public donation day for the relief of the poor, through contributions by street car passengers to the Provident Association, the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Federated Jewish Charities. Separate money boxes will be placed in the cars, near the conductors' fare boxes, and all money placed in these boxes will go directly to relief work.

Last year the public was asked to deposit money in the fare boxes, and the surplus over a normal day's earnings was turned over by the United Railways Co. to the charities. The amount obtained in this way was $5906.20. This year's plan, it is believed, will be more readily understood by the public, and a much larger total of gifts is expected.

$6,720,000 IS APPROPRIATED FOR MISSISSIPPI RIVER WORK

Rivers Bill Which Carries Total of $40,000,000 Will Be Reported to House Probably Wednesday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The annual rivers and harbors appropriation bill, completed in committee today except for final decision on the appropriation sought for the East River channel in New York Harbor, carries a total of $40,000,000, of which the largest item is $6,720,000 for the Mississippi River. The bill is confined to completion of existing projects, in line with the administration policy. It will be reported to the House probably Wednesday. The provisions are as follows for the Mississippi River:

From its mouth to the Ohio, $5,000,000; from the Ohio to the Missouri, $350,000; from the Missouri to Minneapolis, $1,200,000; between Minneapolis and St. Paul, $170,000.

PAUL REVERE BELL AGAIN RUNG

Used First Time in 10 Years in Memory of Lincoln Day.

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—The bell in King's Chapel, cast by Paul Revere, which has long been under repair, was rung for the first time in 10 years today in memory of Lincoln's birthday.

While not a legal holiday in Massachusetts, the day was generally observed by patriotic societies and a display from business houses and homes of the national colors.

CHANCES FOR CITY ELECTRIC PLANT HURT BY THE WAR

Aldermen Find Cost of Copper and Other Materials Would Be High Now.

EXPENDITURE ESTIMATE

Committee Believes Plant Could Be Built for Half of Union Electric's Figures.

A Post-Dispatch reporter learned yesterday that the aldermanic committee, which since last June has been investigating the feasibility of a municipal electric light plant, has brought out these three principal points, which give an inkling of the probable recommendations the committee will submit to the Board of Aldermen within a few months, when it has completed the inquiry:

1. The Union Electric Light and Power Co., if its own statements are accepted, lost $518,872 in its operations in 1914, and city officials would not be warranted in expecting this corporation at any time in the future to reduce its lighting rates generally to anything like an approximation of the 3-cent maximum established by the municipal plants in Cleveland and elsewhere.

2. The city could build a municipal plant to give the service now furnished by Union Electric for less than half—possibly a third—of the $35,000,000 investment (actual and assumed), on which the private company is today seeking to earn profits.

3. The city could not advantageously attempt the construction of such a plant, or any substantial portion of it, within the next year or two, because of the inflated prices of material, especially copper, resulting from the European war.

An examination of data submitted to the aldermanic committee by Union Electric officials was made by a Post-Dispatch reported with the permission of committee members and Arthur M. Branch, chief inspector of the city's electric wiring bureau, who is assisting the committee in analyzing the Union Electric's data.

Loss Alleged in Report.

The statement submitted by Union Electric officials show the company was losing money on its maximum rate for residence lighting in 1914, but made two reductions in 1915, notwithstanding. In a company statement dated Dec. 7, 1915, which is an analysis of the cost of service, it is set forth that:

"The annual cost of service per average residence customer amounted in 1914 to $31.95, or 11.5 cents per kilowatt hour, as compared with the actual revenue amounting to 7.87 cents per kilowatt hour, indicating that this class of service seems to have actually failed to contribute its proper share of the total expense during 1914."

In April, 1915, the Union Electric announced a rate reduction by adding a 3-cent third step in its schedule, by which residence lighting was furnished at a primary rate of 10 cents per kilowatt hour, a secondary rate of 6 cents per kilowatt hour, above a certain consumption per active room, and a third rate of 3 cents per kilowatt hour for all current used each month above a certain amount. A. C. Einstein, vice president and general manager of Union Electric, stated at the time it would mean a loss in revenue to the company of about $60,000 a year to add the third step.

On Dec. 1, 1915, a reduction became effective by which the first step in the rate schedule was cut from 10 cents to 9 cents per kilowatt hour, and Einstein said this cut would reduce the revenues of the company about $100,000 a year.

Members of the Aldermanic Committee told a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday that they were surprised at the statement that the company is losing money on its highest rates, and they were unable to see how there could be any hope of radical rate reductions that would be permanent, if the Union Electric officials' statement was accurate.

In the same statement, Einstein informed the committee: "Our total investment as per books, is $28,799,553, as of Dec. 31, 1914." It is on this basis of calculation that Einstein and his associates arrive at the conclusion that the company is losing money when it sells current at a maximum rate of 9 cents per kilowatt hour, although municipal plants in the United States and Canada, operating under similar conditions, assert they are making profits on maximums ranging from 3 to 5 cents.

One member of the committee said the 99-year Keokuk contract which the Union Electric has assumed is equivalent to adding $6,000,000 to the investment charge on which rates are based, in his opinion, and that the Union Electric therefore is really attempting to earn profits in St. Louis on a $35,000,000 basis.

The Alderman said his conclusion was based on the admission of Einstein, when testifying before the committee that the Keokuk contract was a burden to the company of about 2 mills per kilowatt hour, or an annual burden of about $300,000. Interest at 5 per cent on a $6,000,000 investment in plant would add only $300,000 to the company's fixed charges, the Alderman asserted, and as this is the rate of interest paid on Union Electric bonds, it

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MADE PRISONER IN CAFE ICE BOX, FINDS 73 QUAIL

Game Warden Discovers False Ceiling When Door Is Shut on Him at Cafferata's.

FREED BY INSIDE LOCK

Goes to Police Station and Finds Caterer Waiting There With Approved Bond.

John P. Heller, a Deputy Game Warden, was made a prisoner in the ice box of John Cafferata's cafe, Delmar boulevard and Hamilton avenue, after he entered the ice box, last evening, to look for game killed out of season.

Heller entered the ice box over the protest of the proprietor, who, Heller later said, told him that if he went in he would stay in. When he got inside, Heller said, the door was slammed from without.

As he seemed likely to have plenty of time to look around, Heller began a thorough exploration of the large cold storage receptacle. No game bird was in sight and the Deputy turned his attention to the interior architecture of the ice box. He found nothing to criticise except that the ceiling seemed too low. He saw an opening in the ceiling and put his arm through it. Ah-ha-a-a.

Ready for the Chef.

In a snug, cool space between the apparent ceiling and the real ceiling were birds, and birds. They were dressed and ready for the chef. They were wrapped in tissue paper, a half-dozen to the package. When Heller had completed his collection, he looked about for a way to open the ice box door from within, and found it. Outside, he counted his spoils, and found 73 quail and one woodcock, the latter having its feathers still on.

Heller and Austin D. Holthaus, another Deputy, looked around in vain for Cafferata, and then took one of Cafferata's subordinates to the Central District Police Station. There they found Cafferata, with an $800 bond made out and approved by Judge Clark.

Quail Found Once Before.

The two deputies, who serve without pay in behalf of the Missouri Fish and Game League, took 46 quail from Cafferata's ice box the evening of Dec. 30, seriously imparing the supply of New Year's Eve edibles.

Cafferata later pleaded guilty in the Court of Criminal Correction to a charge of storing quail in violation of a new State law, and Judge Miller released him on payment of costs on his promise that the offense would not be repeated.

OUSTED MEMPHIS MAYOR WINS AN APPEAL, TO BE AGAIN SUED

Tennessee Supreme Court Holds Proceeding Against Crump Did Not Apply to New Term.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 12.—Mayor Edward H. Crump, ousted by the Chancery Court about 60 days ago for failing to enforce the State liquor laws, and reinstated today when the Tennessee Supreme Court decided that the ouster proceedings did not apply to him on his new term, beginning Jan. 1, no sooner resumed office today than another ouster suit was prepared against him by G. T. Fitzhugh, representing the State, who will file it Monday or Tuesday.

Crump will fight the new proceeding, it is announced, and carry it to the highest tribunal if necessary. His plea of guilty in the former action was made in order to obtain an early decision on his appeal to the Supreme Court, his contention being the legal point passed upon today.

Decree Ousting Mayor Howse of Nashville Sustained by Supreme Court.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 12.—The Tennessee Supreme Court today upheld a decree ousting Mayor Hilary E. Howse of this city. The charge against Howse included waste of city money and loose management, and grew out of a bitter political fight, which developed a city scandal and resulted in other city officials losing office.

BIG GUNS AT FORTRESS MONROE INSPECTED BY PRESIDENT

Visit With Wife Informal at Executive's Request and No Salutes Are Fired as They Stroll About.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 12.—President Wilson visited Fortress Monroe today and inspected the great guns that guard the entrance to Chesapeake Bay. Accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, he landed from the naval yacht Mayflower late in the afternoon and walked through the reservation.

The President's party was invited to attend a ship launching at Newport News, but arrived too late. Mr. Wilson declined an invitation to attend a dinner given the launching party tonight. The Mayflower did not fly the President's flag and there were no salutes. The President was greeted by a crowd at the dock. Reaching the fort, he requested that there be no formal courtesies and that they be allowed to see the fort without escort.

Tomorrow the President and Mrs. Wilson are expected to visit the National Soldiers' Home and the Hampton Normal School at Hampton. They will start for Washington late in the afternoon.

STUDENT HELD IN GIRL'S DEATH SAYS HE SAW HER DIE

Declares Marion Lambert Took Poison When He Told Her He Was "Through With Her."

ENGAGED TO ANOTHER

William H. Orphet Tells of Becoming Frightened and Taking Train for Home in Wisconsin.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—William H. Orphet, University of Wisconsin student, who is said to have jilted 18-year-old Marion Frances Lambert and left her to die of poison in Helm's Woods at Lake Forest, a suburb, was charged with murder today and held in the Waukegan jail without bail.

Orphet, who is 20 years old, is said by Ralph J. Dady, State's Attorney at Waukegan, to have admitted to him that his relations with the girl had been improper. He is said to have stated further that Miss Lambert had feared for four months that a child was to be born to her, despite drugs which Orphet purchased for her and which made her ill. The autopsy revealed that she was mistaken.

Secret Trip Alleged.

Orphet, it is charged, made a secret trip from Madison, Wis., to Lake Forest last Tuesday night. It is said he called the girl on the telephone and made an appointment which was kept in the woods next morning. At this interview Orphet said that he told Miss Lambert he was to marry a Miss Celestia Youker. It is said that she then took a quick-acting poison and that Orphet saw her die. Frightened, he rushed away and caught a train back to the University at Madison. The next day, Thursday, the body was found.

Before leaving Madison, Orphet is said to have tried to arrange an alibi. He wrote a letter to Miss Lambert and left it in the hands of a friend to be mailed Wednesday afternoon. At that time he was on his way back to the university. He had left his room at a boarding house in a condition to suggest that he had occupied it Tuesday night.

To a reporter the prisoner said tonight:

"I met Miss Lambert by appointment in the woods. I told her not to tell anyone I was coming. I mussed up my bed in the boarding house at Madison so my landlady would think I had been there. I arrived at Lake Forest late Tuesday night. I called her by telephone at her home on the Jonas Kuppenheimer farm. I told her I would be waiting the next morning at the Sacred Heart station of the Chicago & Milwaukee electric line. I saw her when she passed toward the station with her chum, Josephine Davis. I was hiding behind a tree and beckoned to her. Soon she came back.

"We started walking. I told her I was 'through with her.' She cried and begged me not to give her up. We walked and talked in the woods about two hours.

"Finally I told her there was no use talking any longer—that I had made up my mind I was going to marry Miss Celestia Youker. I started away.

Says He Saw Her Fall.

"I heard her cry out for me to come back. I kept on walking.

"I was quite a distance away when I turned again. I saw her fall to the ground. I ran back. I saw she was dying.

"I remained with her until I was sure she was dead. Then I hurried to the station and took an electric car, and came to Chicago. I caught a train at Chicago for Madison. Then I sent a letter to her. I didn't tell anyone about what had happened because I feared it might reflect on her good name."

O. E. Orphet, father of the prisoner and superintendent of the Cyrus McCormick estate at Lake Forest, retained James H. Wilkerson, former United States District Attorney here, to defend his son.

State's Attorney Dady at Waukegan said tonight:

"We had to charge Orphet with murder, because it was the only way we could hold him. He is the man who was with the girl, but there are other things to be cleared up. We haven't found where the poison came from; we have not fathomed why Orphet was so careful to frame an alibi; we can't find the container in which the poison was kept."

Fiancee Said to Be Teacher.

Miss Youker is said to be an instructor in chemistry at a normal college at De Kalb, Ill. It is said that she was a schoolmate of Orphet's at Lake Forest before he went to the university.

It was learned later tonight that cyanide of potassium was kept by the girl's father in the greenhouse on the Kuppenheimer estate. The poison is used to kill insects, and the girl could have obtained it.

Miss Youker's home was called over the long-distance telephone tonight, but elicited only the statement that she was too ill to answer the telephone. Others in the house, including her mother, Mrs. J. C. Youker, of Chicago, declined to answer questions.

It was learned that Miss Youker was taken ill last Sunday.

Letter Written by Orphet to Girl Made Public.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Feb. 12.—The admissions made this afternoon by Will H. Orphet to Ralph J. Dady, State's Attorney of Lake County, with reference to the tragic death of 18-year-old Marion

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School Girl Whose Sweetheart Is Charged With Her Murder



MARION LAMBERT

TWO MEN SHOT IN ROBBERS' RAID ON SALOON-GROCERY

One Intruder Opens Fire in Bar as Companion Empties Till in Adjoining Room.

John Levene, 40 years old, of 2107 Obear avenue, was shot through the neck and wrist, and John J. Miller, 26, of 2124 Obear avenue, was shot in the right shoulder by one of two men who robbed the saloon and grocery of John Polzin, 2048 East John street, at 9:40 o'clock last night.

Miller and Levene were at the bar at the rear of the grocery. A man entered the saloon from a side door, which opens onto Emily street, and opened fire.

Both men dropped to the floor and then the robber fired another bullet at Levene, which struck his wrist. Meantime, another robber, who was masked, had entered the front door and had robbed the grocery cash register of $30.

Polzin, after the robbery, told the police that he was in the grocery and saw a man wearing a handkerchief over the lower part of his face peering through the front door.

Polzin said he ducked behind the counter and crept rapidly to a hallway, where he had concealed a revolver for just such an emergency. His bartender, William Brinkmeyer, was in the hallway and Polzin ordered him to go upstairs and obtain another revolver from Mrs. Polzin.

The bartender obeyed and Polzin, thinking the robbers would open the cash register in the saloon, steadied his revolver against the side of the wall and kept it trained on the saloon cash register.

His position in the hallway was such that he could see only the saloon cash register and a small part of the bar.

While Polzin kept watch on the saloon cash register, the masked robber took the money from the grocery till, as the second man entered the saloon door and opened fire on the two men standing at the bar.

The man who did the shooting did not speak. Levene told reporters at the City Hospital, and after the shooting, he backed out of the door.

Brinkmeyer appeared on the stairway leading to Polzin's apartments above in time to fire through a transom into the grocery at the masked man as the latter disappeared through the front door into East John avenue.

Polzin explained that he had chosen the hall as a hiding place for the revolver after a robbery of his place Jan. 10, when two men entered at 5:30 a. m., locked up the bartender in the icebox and got away with about $29.

25 MEN QUIT, 6000 OUT OF WORK

John A. Roebling Sons Close Big Plant at Trenton, N. J.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 12.—About 25 stokers at the John A. Roebling Sons plant here refused to go to work today because their demands for more pay and shorter hours had been declined, and as a result the plant, employing about 6000 men, was closed, as there was no steam to operate the machinery.

CHARGES TEACHER STRUCK PUPIL AND TOOTH FELL OUT

Lawyer Asks Removal of Hodgen School Instructor in Letter to Board.

A letter was sent to the Board of Education yesterday by Frederick G. Stoehr of 2206 Salisbury street, a lawyer, asking the removal of Miss Antoinette Dames of 4123 Castleman avenue as a teacher in the Hodgen School, and charging that she had struck his nephew, George Stoehr, 9 years old, in the mouth last Wednesday and loosened a tooth so that it fell out the following day.

The boy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gustav O. Stoehr of 2709 Allen avenue, who authorized the lawyer to protest against the teacher's treatment of their son.

The boy's mother told a Post-Dispatch reporter that when George came home Wednesday evening he complained that the teacher had slapped him. She said at first she thought nothing of it and told her son he probably deserved it. Then, she said, her son displayed a loosened front tooth, saying it was caused by the teacher slapping him in the mouth.

On Thursday, Mrs. Stoehr said, her son came home with a new shirt badly torn. He explained that the teacher shook him and tore it. That night, when eating supper, the loose tooth fell out.

The next day Mr. and Mrs. Stoehr visited the school and talked to the principal, Edward H. Christie, and Miss Dames. They said Miss Dames at first denied striking the boy, but later admitted she might have struck him with two fingers. The parents say the teacher asserted she punished George for dropping a pencil, which she thought was done purposely to cause disturbance. George had been in her class about 10 days.

Principal Christie told a reporter that Miss Dames had denied striking the boy. He said he had known her as a teacher for five years and that she had a good record and had never had trouble with parents over her treatment of children.

Miss Dames was not at home last night when a reporter called for a statement.

NEW YORK HEALTH BOARD PLANS TEMPERANCE CRUSADE

One Sunday Will Be Specially Designated and Police and Motion Pictures Will Aid.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The City Board of Health announced today the inauguration of a temperance crusade. The board has requested clergymen to deliver temperance sermons on Sunday, Feb. 20, which will be called "Temperance Sabbath." Meanwhile, uniformed police officers of the health squad and sanitary inspectors will distribute in saloons and clubs throughout the city pamphlets setting forth the dangers of alcoholic indulgence.

On Washington's birthday motion picture theaters will display films furnished by the board portraying "The curse of drink and all its attendant evils."

GERMANS ATTEMPT SEVERAL TIMES TO CROSS YSER CANAL

Attacks in Belgium, Following Violent Bombardments, Repulsed at Two Points by Artillery and Machine Gun Fire.

Active Fighting in Champagne Results in Each Side Occupying Positions of Enemy on Small Fronts.

Chief Infantry Operations Are on This Front and in Galicia, Where Teutons Are on Defensive.

PARIS, via London, Feb. 12.—The following official communcation was issued by the War Office tonight:

"In Belgium, after quite a violent artillery preparation, the Germans several times attempted to cross the Yser Canal at the Steenstrate Height, and at Hetsas. Under combined fire of our artillery and machine guns these attempts failed.

"In Champagne there was very marked artillery activity in the regions of the Butte du Mesnil and Navarin. After a bombardment lasting several hours the enemy was able to penetrate a small salient of our line, between the road from Navarin and that from Saint Souplet.

"To the northeast of the Butte du Mesnil the Germans attempted by a new counter attack to drive us from those parts of the trench occupied by us yesterday, but were repulsed. We continued to progress by the use of grenades to the east of these parts, and have made some prisoners.

"In the Argonne, near the Four de Paris, we exploded a camouflet, which shattered the mine works of the enemy.

"In the Vosges to the north of Wissembach, east of St. Die, an enemy infantry attack met by our fire was not able to approach our first line."

MORE ACTIVITY ON SEVERAL FRONTS

Most Important Infantry Operations in Champagne—Teutons on Defensive in Galicia.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Somewhat increased activity is reported from several of the European war fronts, notably from the zone of hostilities in France and along the lines where the Russian and Teutons are facing each other in Galicia.

The most important infantry operations on the western front occurred in the Champagne, where a French attack was carried through after prolonged artillery preparation, and according to Paris some 300 yards of German trenches were taken. Berlin concedes a French gain in this territory northeast of Massiges, placing the extent of the captured position at 200 yards.

Petrograd unofficially reports the Teutonic forces on the defensive on the three important streams along which much of the recent fighting in Galicia and nearby fronts has been conducted—the Zereth, the Pruth and the Dniester. Several breaches are declared to have been made in the lines of the Teutonic allies. While admitting that the immediate strategic results so far have not been important, the Petrograd advices record a belief that the Russian offensive has at least relieved pressure on the entente forces along other fronts.

The current Austrian report on the operations against the Russians admits no permanent gain for the troops of Emperor Nicholas, mentioning specifically an operation northwest of Tarnopol, Galicia, where Russian detachment that occupied several Austrian advance trenches are declared to have been ejected in a counter attack.

In the battling with the Italians, Vienna claims the capture of a position near Flitsch, on the Italian front, by Austrian troops, while in the Albanian operations the repulse of Italian attacks near Tirana, northeast of Durazzo, is reported.

A Rome dispatch brings statements attributed to both French and Italian political sources that complete accord has been reached between Premier Briand of France, who is now in Rome, and the Italian Cabinet members, with whom he has been consulting on steps to unify allied action in the war.

Berlin Says British Men-of-War Fled From German Ships.

BERLIN, Feb. 12 (by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—"Berlin newspapers, commenting on the sinking of the British cruiser Arabis by German torpedo boats during the last raid, state that the torpedo boats were more successful than the German warships which some time ago explored the North Sea," says the Overseas News Agency. "The fact that the British men-of-war disappeared immediately when the German boats became visible contrasts most singularly with British affirmations that

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REQUEST OF U. S. IN LUSITANIA CASE REACHES BERLIN

Situation Called "Fairly Favorable" After Message From Von Bernstorff Is Received, and There Is No Air of Pessimism at the Foreign Office.

COMMUNICATION PUT BEFORE VON JAGOW

General Expectation in Washington Is That Slight Change in the Wording of Germany's Proposals Will Be Approved.

BERLIN, via London, Feb. 12.—A message from Ambassador von Bernstorff relating to the Lusitania negotiations, which arrived yesterday, was the subject of deliberations today between Dr. Alfred M. Zimmermann, Undersecretary for Foreign Affairs, and Count Montgelas, head of the American section of the Foreign Office, and other experts on American affairs of the Foreign Office. The message was submitted to Dr. Gottlieb von Jagow, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, on his return from the headquarters of the general staff this morning.

Officials of the Foreign Office and others connected with the Government were reticent about expressing an opinion on Ambassador von Bernstorff's message, bu contained no air of pessimism is noticeable about the Foreign Office.

Dr. Zimmermann is credited with the remark that the situation looks fairly favorable.

Message Asked for Slight Changes in Wording of Lusitania Proposals.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The message from Count von Bernstorff being considered by the Berlin Foreign Office is presumed here to be that dispatched by the Ambassador several days ago, asking his Government to approve slight changes in the wording of its Lusitania proposals so as to put them into a form that it had been declared by high officials would bring the United States and Germany into complete accord on the terms of final settlement. The general expectation here is that the changes, made after extended conferences between the Ambassador and Secretary Lansing, will be approved.

U-BOAT WARFARE NECESSARY, SAYS GERMAN PRESS

By Karl H. von Wiegand.

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

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BERLIN, via Amsterdam, Feb. 11.—My interview with Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, which was cabled to the Post-Dispatch and the New York World, is the sensation of the day. Apparently it was retelegraphed from the London and Holland papers. The entire German press today has it, all or in part, many papers subordinating the submarine manifesto to it, declaring the Chancellor's utterances are of even greater importance at this moment than the announcement of the new submarine issue.

(In a delayed cablegram published in the Post-Dispatch last Wednesday, Von Wiegand quoted the German Chancellor as saying that the demands of the United States in the Lusitania case asked for an impossible humiliation on the part of Germany. The interview obviously was given before news was received in Berlin of the State Department's announcement in Washington that "the United States and Germany are substantially in accord." Apparently, however, the situation still is regarded in the German capital as being serious.)

The press and public are unanimous in support of his attitude. The Lokal Anzeiger devotes almost its entire front page to the interview. The Berliner Zeitung am Mittag, the noon paper, declares the interview of such importance that it reprints it again at noon today. Commenting, this paper says that the interview, together with the memorial on the treatment of armed merchantmen, makes clear, not only to the German people but to the entire world, the seriousness of the present situation; that they must be judged separately, but have a certain connection in that "the memorial pertains to the future, while the Chancellor's words have to do with an incident which was considered as good as closed, but which has suddenly arisen again like a ghost out of the grave and created much confusion."

Differentiated Point Reached.

Continuing, the paper declared the Chancellor's words signify a point has been reached where the past and the future must be differentiated.

The paper says that for the past, the Lusitania, Germany has granted everything that could reasonably be asked, and has even gone beyond that to where the question arises whether or not England shall be permitted to carry on her war just as she pleases, without regard to international law, while Germany shall be bound by its rules, and whether even literally in letter rather than in spirit such rules shall apply to the new naval arm U-boats; that in the future Germany will seek to destroy every belligerent armed merchant ship. It calls attention to the heavy responsibility that rests upon neutrals. As stated in the new memorial, neutrals are not only requested to keep their citizens off armed merchant ships, but that it is logical that they will have to convince themselves that no ships on which neutrals are passengers, leave neutral ports with guns aboard.

Count von Reventlow, a leader in the Deutschtung, sees in the Chancellor's utterances proof that Secretary Lansing is deliberately trying to humiliate Germany.

"We have, so far as the censorship permitted, always expressed ourselves as skeptical with regard to the policy and intentions of the United States," says Reventlow "That Government is working in the direction of the humiliation of Germany, and that, too, with all her means of diplomatic pressure. This confirmation of our views out of the mouth of the Chancellor is, after all, somewhat of a surprise, even if in a certain sense a pleasant one."

Real Question as Seen by Reventlow.

Reventlow finds fault because the Chancellor is inclined to continue doing everything possible to meet America's wishes so long as it does not affect the nation's honor. While stating that in my own comments I had sized up the situation correctly insofar as the unanimous support of the Chancellor's rejection of the formulation of the note as presented here, he declared that this, however, did not touch upon the real question at issue for Germany.

"It is not a question here in Germany of the conception of conciliation or non-conciliation, not even of resistance to humiliation, but, above all, and everything else, upon the right of the German nation to use such weapons in her struggle for existence as she needs against enemies which avowedly want to destroy her," he said: "such weapons and arms which Germans know that if they were free to use, and did use, with energy, would greatly help to win this war and contribute much toward shortening it."

It should be made clear, however, that Von Reventlow is one of the most irreconcilable political enemies of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and his policy, and perhaps has had no more influence on the Chancellor than attacks some New York papers have made on President Wilson's Mexican or European policy.

"The sentiment of the German people is correctly given by Wiegand," says the Vossische Zeitung. "As a matter of fact, the public mind considers it utterly impossible to recognize as illegal and criminal a war measure that German seamen are carrying out, and which is in accordance with the fundamental principles of the laws of naval warfare."

Calling attention to the fact that the Germans, as statesmen and on battlefields, have had an active and effective part in the growth and development of the great nation on the other side of the water, the Vossische Zeitung says:

"It is therefore natural that Germany, although she has experienced many unfriendly turns from America since the outbreak of the world war, is nevertheless prepared, as Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg assures us, to grant and concede everything within the bounds of reason and fairness and within the limits of the principles of justice. To go beyond that would be to bend our neck under the yoke."

Opposition Commends Chancellor.

The Taeglische Rundschau, which rarely finds anything to praise in what the Chancellor does, this time approves most thoroughly, declaring: "With a veritable thirst the German nation has been yearning and hoping that its responsible political leader be heard in regard to the astounding assumption of

RELATIVES OF LUSITANIA VICTIMS GIVE THEIR VIEWS ON SETTLEMENT OF CASE

President's Action Is Generally Acceptable to Those Expressing Opinions—War Over Sinking of Liner Is Opposed.

WITH the Lusitania matter still unsettled, although more than nine months have elapsed since the horror, diplomatic negotiations between the United States and Germany have brought the two countries into practical accord.

Opinions of various kinds have been expressed by international law experts and others as to what should be done and much advice has been given President Wilson and the Secretary of State. During all the negotiations the near relatives of those who lost their lives by the torpedoing of the giant Cunarder and who are most vitally interested in any agreement which may be made have kept silent.

In order to ascertain the attitude of these relatives of Americans who lost their lives, the Post-Dispatch and the New York World have asked a number of them to give their views. The questions asked were:

What redress should the United States demand for the death of its citizens, killed while traveling on peaceful errands on board an unarmed passenger ship?

Should a money indemnity be exacted?

Should this Government insist upon a disavowal by Germany and punishment of the commander of the submarine in addition to the expressions of regret already forthcoming?

To what length do you believe the United States Government should go to enforce its demands?

Do you think a severance of diplomatic relations with Germany, with war as a probable consequence would be justified?

The replies received indicate a general opinion against this country becoming involved in war with Germany because of the Lusitania. The relatives of the American citizens who lost their lives are apparently willing however, to leave the settlement entirely to President Wilson and his advisers.

ARTHUR WITHINGTON, 76 State street, Newburyport, Mass: (Mr. Withington lost a brother, Lothrop Withington of Boston, Mass., on the Lusitania): There was a code of honor among nations calling for an apology and indemnities on the admitted facts in the Lusitania case. Our country seeks to uphold that code, whereas Germany claims the right at will to alter its standard. Is there any better way of maintaining our country's dignity and international law than by obtaining from the fatherland an acceptance of those principles and a submission to those penalties which no one among the family of nations would have denied prior to August, 1914?

DR. E. H. SHIELDS of Cincinnati. (Dr. Shields' brother, Victor E. Shields of Cincinnati, was lost on the Lusitania): I am willing to leave the whole matter in the hands of President Wilson. We all believe that Germany did not do the right thing, but neither money nor disavowals will bring back the lives which were lost. We are loyal Americans and we are ready to stand by the President in all things. I am in full accord with the President's position in regard to this case, as I understand it.

MRS. THOMAS BARKER of Trenton, N. J. (Mrs. Barker is a survivor of the Lusitania and lost a 9-year-old daughter): The United States should demand of Germany positive assurances against a repetition of such an act and a money indemnity, although no amount of money can fill the void in our hearts over the fate of our little girl. The amount of indemnity should be fixed by this Government. The matter of a disavowal is too intricate a one for me to answer, but I do not see why the submarine commander should be punished. He was acting under the direction and orders of his Government. I do not see that he could have done anything else. The United States should go to any reasonable lengths to enforce its demands, but not so far as to involve war with Germany. I saw too many of the results of war while in England last year to ever want to see my country involved in it. War is too horrible to contemplate.

HENRY A. BRUND, Greenwich, Conn. (Mr. Brund lost both his father and mother in the Lusitania disaster:) —In my opinion, the United States should demand a full apology for the death of the citizens; also an agreement from Germany that she will abide by international law, and not sink any passenger ships, with the subsequent loss of lives. I certainly think that a money indemnity should be exacted, though I feel, in one way that no amount of money could make up for the loved ones who were taken from us by such a dastardly action. Most decidedly this Government should insist upon a disavowal by Germany and the punishment of murder by the submarines, and it seems to me that as this matter has dragged on for nearly a year, the disavowal should be forthcoming very shortly. I do not think that the United States should go to war at this time, but I do believe that this country should break off diplomatic relations with Germany, and help the allies in every possible way to bring this war to a satisfactory conclusion. If the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany should bring about war with that country, it seems to me that it would bring the final result which we are all praying for to a more rapid conclusion. By this I mean that Germany's power should be forever broken, and punishment enacted for all her misdeeds. Having lost both my mother and father in this tragedy, naturally I feel very unneutral as regards any kind feelings toward Germany, but I have tried to answer your questions from a neutral standpoint, although I sincerely trust that the day will come when the many who were so brutally murdered will be avenged.

ROBERT P. BURKHALTER, an attorney of Chicago, gave out the following as expressing the views of Mrs. Sarah Lund: Mrs. Lund lost her husband, Charles Lund, and her father, William Mounsey, and is herself a survivor of the Lusitania—"We have already sued the Cunard line, Capt. W. T. Turner of the liner and Dudley Field Malone, port officer of New York, for $50,000 damages for injuries sustained by Mrs. Lund. She was one of the women who was in the water for hours, and who has sustained a shock that has made her an invalid for life. She lost her father and husband. This suit was filed, and will be prosecuted despite what Germany may do in the way of indemnity. We believe that Germany should pay an indemnity. We do not ask a disavowal, because we believe that the Cunard line is equally a wrongdoer, and that Mr. Malone in allowing the boat to leave New York with ammunition and Canadian soldiers aboard has also some responsibility. If Germany disavowed, it would remove responsibility from the Cunard Co. We do not believe that the submarine commander should be punished for he was obeying orders from his superiors in a war zone. The United States statutes expressly forbid the shipping of ammunition on merchantmen carrying passengers. Nobody knows yet what was in the hold of the Lusitania. She carried parts of submarines and munitions. On the munitions issue, the Federal courts have not yet passed. The State Department has interpreted it to mean high explosives. The question for damages for injuries is another serious issue. Germany will probably indemnify solely for deaths. Who is going to pay for the shock, the injuries and damages sustained by the surviving Americans?"

CARDINAL MERCIER AN AGITATOR, SAYS BERLIN STATEMENT

Belgian Primate Charged With Using Liberties for Political Purposes.

HIS LETTER DELAYED

News Agency Tells Why Communication to German Clergy Has Not Been Answered.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—The following statement regarding the activities of Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, who is now on a visit to Rome, was made public today by the Overseas News Agency:

"The letter which Cardinal Mercier and the Belgian Bishops addressed to the German clergy on Nov. 24, 1915 (regarding an investigation of allegations that atrocities had been committed in Belgium by Germans) did not reach Cardinal von Hartmann, Archbishop of Cologne, until Jan. 7, which explains why it has not been answered. The general expression prevailing in Germany, however, is that the letter was inspired entirely by Cardinal Mercier, whose intransient attitude toward the German authorities became manifest on various occasions.

"Politician Before the War."

"Before the war Cardinal Mercier was an influential Belgian politician. For example, at the time of King Leopold's death, he aided publicly, with the party in favor of colonial expansion, in the notorious Congo affair, demanding an increase in the Belgian army. After the occupation of Belgium by German forces, the Cardinal preserved a similar attitude, using the influence of the clergy for agitation of a purely political nature.

"At the time of the great Anglo-French offensive the Cardinal ordered that in all Belgian churches in the occupied territory prayers be said for the victory of the entente forces. At the same time on St. Michael's day he published a pastoral letter comparing the present war with the struggle between St. Michael, the patron saint of Brussels, and Lucifer, suggesting in transparent fashion that he did not compare Germany with the angel.

"Another pastoral letter said the Germans possessed no legitimate authority and had no claim to the esteem of Belgians, who owed affection and obedience only to their King.

"During religious ceremonials in the fall, Cardinal Mercier declared to Belgian priests assembled in the Malines seminary that they were all obliged to follow the greatest possible resistance to the Germans.

"In competent German circles it is pointed out in the appendix to the letter of the Belgian clergy, inspired by Cardinal Merdier, it is stated that an Austrian priest made investigations in Belgium which had disastrous results for Germany However, Cardinal Piffl, Archbishop of Vienna, declares publicly and formally that he never authorized any priest to make such investigations.

Bishops Denied His Charges.

"The letter of the Belgian Bishops also discusses the allegation that German soldiers attacked Belgian nuns. When urged to investigate this charge, Cardinal Mercier declined on the ground that he did not wish to hurt anyone's feelings. But the Bishops of Liege, Bruges and Ghent declared that no such misdeeds had come to their knowledge.

"All this corroborates the German impression that the liberties granted freely to Cardinal Mercier in the interest of his exalted priestly vocation are being used by him merely for purposes of political agitation, which places the German authorities in an awkward position."

President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, which have touched to the deepest depths the honor of the German people. It is with great relief that Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg has fulfilled this actually feverish necessity of the nation."

In a two-column leader, discussing my interview, the Taeglich Rundschau, which usually criticises severely anyone who grants an American correspondent an interview, says that this time it can understand and appreciate what is generally regarded as speaking through an undignified channel to America. This paper criticises severely the Foreign Office because it did not see that a copy of the interview was given out to the German press.

"What the Chancellor says at such a time on such a subject is of the utmost importance," the paper says.

The Cologne Gazette follows the interview with the statement that above news should be received by the German people with a feeling of relief. It removes all fears and worries that the German Government or our allies will let the sharp weapon of submarine warfare, which has done our enemies so much damage and from which we expect still more, be wrung from our hand."

"With a gravity and firmness and decisiveness for which the German people should be thankful, the Chancellor has informed the public mind in America that Germany cannot declare the sinking of the Lusitania illegal, and with that pass a death sentence upon its entire submarine war."

There is no official news from Washington. The press and public are inclined to be skeptical toward dispatches telling of an improvement in the situation.

LANSING AND STONE MAKE STATEMENTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—That the United States asks nothing of Germany in the Lusitania case which could not with honor be complied with, is the declaration of Secretary Lansing in a statement obtained here by the Wolff Bureau, a semi-official German news agency. The statement relative to an interview with the German Chancellor obtained by Karl H. von Wiegand, correspondent in Germany for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, in which it was contended that to meet the requirements of the United States in the Lusitania case would impose "impossible humiliation" upon Germany. A statement also was obtained from Senator Stone and both are for publication in Germany.

Views of Lansing.

Secretary Lansing's views were set forth as follows:

"When Secretary of State Lansing's attention was called to the interview purporting to have been given by the German Chancellor, he said that while he disliked to comment on press dispatches of this sort, its authoritative character seemed to require it in order that a wrong impression might be removed. He went on to say that he was at a loss to understand what the Chancellor meant by the requirements of this Government being an 'impossible humiliation.'

"He said that nothing had been asked of Germany which was not reasonable and fair and with which a nation could not comply without doing violence to its honor and dignity; that this Government's demands had not been increased since they were made on May 1 last; that it had sought in every way, in the controversy, to show the greatest consideration to the German Government and people and though its efforts to this end have apparently been misinterpreted, it would continue to do so in order that this unfortunate dispute may, if possible, be honorably arranged out of a sincere wish to maintain the traditional friendly relations between the United States and Germany."

CAPITAL SUSPECTS DARK HORSE WILL SUCCEED GARRISON

Washington Thinks President May Spring Surprise in Naming War Secretary.

GOETHALS IS MENTIONED

Inquiry Shows There Would Be No Legal Barrier to His Appointment.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—No messages reached the White House today from President Wilson and officials said if he had reached any conclusions in his consideration of a successor to Secretary Garrison they had no knowledge of it. It was said the President left the capital last night on a yacht trip on the Potomac with an open mind.

Among many of those familiar with the President's views the impression prevails that unless he goes outside of high official circles for a War Secretary he will name Franklin K. Lane, now Secretary of the Interior. Others believe that of those already associated officially with the administration, Secretary Houston of the Agricultural Department, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the Navy and Councillor Polk of the State Department all are being very seriously considered by the President.

Dark Horse May Get Place.

There would be little surprise here, however, if the choice fell upon some man outside official circles and not publicly discussed for the place. The President's mind, White House officials believe, virtually will be made up when he returns here late tomorrow or Monday.

There is considerable discussion in some quarters of the possibility of Major-General George W. Goethals, Governor of the Panama Canal zone, being named to succeed Garrison. He declines to say whether he would accept the position.

While the army officers would be delighted to see an army man at the head of the War Department, a member of the General Staff remarked that if Gen. Goethals were appointed, despite his splendid record as an officer and administrator, the cry of "militarism" would go up from pacifists.

Inquiry disclosed the fact that there is no legal bar to Gen. Goethals' appointment except that he is a Major-General in the active list of the army. This difficulty could be obviated by an executive order placing him on the retired list.

Rock-ribbed Democrats were inclined today to question the politics of Gen. Goethals, declaring that he is a Republican.

Tumulty's Name Mentioned.

The name of Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to the President, is among those mentioned, of which there is a fresh crop daily.

In letters and other messages reaching the White House today from members of Congress officials professed today to see a decided tendency among those who had opposed Secretary Garrison's continental army plan to support the President on a compromise program. More than 40 representatives, it was said, had sent word they would support the President, among them being several who heretofore had opposed the administration's proposals.

Col. House Will Not Discuss Report He Is to Get Place in Cabinet.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Dispatches from Washington published here today to the effect that Col. House will succeed Lansing as Secretary of State for the United States and that Lansing will be appointed Secretary of War to succeed Garrison aroused great interest.

When a correspondent of the Post-Dispatch interrogated Col. House he replied:

"I have absolutely nothing to say."

Persons in touch with Col. House have informed the Post-Dispatch that his antipathy to holding office has not altered and for this reason he can be regarded as scratched from the slate as a possible candidate for any political place.

The general impression here is that as personal representative of the President, Col. House occupies a post which gives him a greater standing in Europe that he would have if he occupied an official position.

Garrison Offers to Show His Successor His Duties.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Lindley M. Garrison, former Secretary of War, said tonight that when his successor was appointed he would offer to go to Washington and help the new Secretary become acquainted with his duties.

"I shall not make myself vocal in any way," Garrison said. "I am out of politics, and intend to make no further statements."

Why Garrison Holds the National Guard Cannot Meet the Requirements

IN former Secretary Garrison's statement of Nov. 6 outlining his scheme of national defense are found his objections to reliance upon a militia or state force, and his reasons for advocating a continental army or Federal force as follows:

"The Constitution provides that Congress may raise and support armies, and under that provision the regular standing army exists. It likewise provides that organized militia may be maintained in the different states; that the National Government may provide arms for this force, may decide upon the nature and character of its organization, and may prescribe the discipline to which it must conform. It reserves to the respective states the right to govern this force, to appoint the officers thereof, and to train it.

"In time of peace this force is available to the President of the United States, under the Constitution, to aid in enforcing the laws of the Union, to aid in suppressing insurrections, and in repelling invasions. **There is no constitutional provision which makes this force otherwise available to the nation in time of war, and therefore no law can be passed by Congress making it so available.** In order to obtain whatever is possible to be obtained in this respect, the act of Congress concerning the raising of volunteers provides that **such organized regiments of the National Guard as volunteer may be taken over into the service of the United States** intact and not merely as individuals.

"It will be seen, therefore, that under the Constitution there is contemplated two kinds of military forces—one a national force raised and maintained directly by the acts of the National Congress, and the other a force raised entirely by the states, to be governed, officered and trained by them and to be available to the national authorities in certain specified instances.

"If the determination arrived at by those whose knowledge, skill and experience makes their judgment practically conclusive is accepted, we should have in this country a force of at least 500,000 men ready for instant response to a call in the event of war or the imminence of war. It is surely not necessary to state the many reasons why this force may not be supplied by a regular standing Army of that number constantly under arms. For reasons which have just been pointed out it is equally impracticable to suggest that this force should consist solely of the National Guard expanded to that number. **There is no legal way that the National Guard can, in time of peace, be governed, officered or trained by the National Government; and there is no legal way, excepting by volunteering, that it can be made available to the nation in time of war to any greater extent than specified in the Constitution, which confessedly falls short of the necessary uses to which an army may have to be put in the event of a war with a foreign nation.**

NECESSITY FOR NATIONAL FORCE SUBJECT TO CALL

"IT becomes necessary, therefore, to devise some method of making available for the use of the nation in time of war a national force in supplement of that part of the national force, to wit, the regular army, which is constantly under arms; a part of the army, in other words, to be raised and maintained by Congress and governed in all respects in accordance with its directions. When this system is devised and made operative the nation would militarily be in this situation: It would have, as the Constitution provides, an army raised and maintained by it, composed of a certain number constantly under arms, and a very much larger number definitely identified in personnel, provided with equipment and organization, possessed of some training and subject to instant call. The states would have the organized militia, developed with Federal assistance to the highest practicable point of efficiency, available for the purposes specified in the Constitution, and so circumstanced that in the event of war with a foreign nation they could, by their own volition, immediately take their place with the other military force of the nation.

"It is proposed to supplement the army that is constantly under arms by a force of 400,000 men raised in increments of 133,000 a year, obligated to devote a specified time to training for a period of three years, and then to be on furlough for a period of three years without obligation excepting to return to the colors in the event of war or the imminence thereof. For the purpose of convenience this force has been designated the continental army. It is proposed to recruit it territorily according to population; to have it subjected to short periods of intensive training; and in addition to what officers may be developed from its own operations, to obtain officers for it from those who have served in the national guard, those who have served in the United States army and are no longer upon its active list, and those who, by training acquired in colleges and schools or in other ways, have become equipped with sufficient military information and experience to make them available.

"It is the purpose to have the membership of this force assembled at convenient places and have there such portions of the regular army to assist in their training as are desirable and to obtain all the benefit which can be obtained from intensive training over such a period of time as is possible. For the purposes of the necessary figuring upon costs, etc., as well as for military reasons, the period proposed is two months. It is recognized, however, that with respect to this period of training and other features of the plan a final wise determination can only be reached after the fullest interchange of views between those who collectively represent the wisdom, experience and knowledge to determine these matters properly.

"With respect to the national guard, it is proposed not only to continue the existing assistance rendered by the Federal Government, but to increase it. In the references previously made to the national guard the relationship of that body to the military system of the country was stated. With the existing co-operation of the Federal Government and the earnest efforts of the membership of the guard great progress has been made in the last decade and, in the judgment of all those concerned, still greater progress is not only possible but assured. There is the fullest recognition and appreciation of the untiring devotion and patriotic spirit of those who have unceasingly wrought for the improvement of this body.

PLAN WAS TO INCREASE AID TO STATE GUARD

"THIS body has, as above stated, a clearly defined and important part in the military system of the country, and it is proposed in the plan advocated to amplify the Federal assistance in every way that it can be done constitutionally so as to aid this force and make it efficient for the purposes set forth in the Constitution, and for the further purpose for which it is available in the event of war if it volunteers for Federal service. The plan offers to the membership of the national guard every alternative which a full recognition of their position suggests. With respect to the national guard system under the Constitution, there is to be not only continued but increased Federal co-operation and assistance. With respect to the personnel of the guard, opportunity is offered, either in units or individually, to come into the continental army whenever by the action of their state they are free to do so.

"From this outline of the policy it will be observed that it has been framed in view of existing legal and other conditions. It provides for a standing army to a minimum size to perform the necessary functions of such a force, including the very important one of training the other military forces. It provides a supplement to that army into which the citizens of the country who realize the necessity of patriotic action on their part can go with a minimum sacrifice. It continues available for all its legal purposes the other force outside of the national army and provides for increasing co-operation therewith."

BILL TO PUT STATE TROOPS ON FEDERAL FOOTING DRAFTED

Measure Providing for 200,000 Men Is Before Congress Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The proposals of the National Guard Association for Federalization of the state troops were before the military committee of Congress today in the form of a bill drafted by representatives of the association at the request of the Senate Committee. The regulations contemplated are given force by a provision limiting participation in the Federal pay feature to officers, men or organizations complying with certain specified requirements.

The scale of annual pay proposed is as follows: Major Generals $800, Brigadiers $700, Colonels $600, LieutenantColonels $550, Majors $525, Captains $500, First Lieutenants $300, Second Lieutenants $250. Enlisted men would be paid on the basis of 25 per cent of the pay rates of the regular army a private receiving approximately $45 a year.

The maximum number of troops provided for by the bill is 500 for each congressional district or a total peace strength of approximately 200,000, an increase of 70,000 over present strength of the national guard. They would form a separate branch of the regular army in time of war when called into the Federal service. The act would take effect July 1, 1916.

Junior Guard Provided for.

The bill provides also for organization of a junior guard composed of boys between 12 and 18, available for active service only after every other class of militia had been called out. The juniors would be divided into two classes, cadets or those of 15 and above, and cadets of the second class, those less than 15.

An enlistment contract would be required under which the soldier would bind himself to serve the Federal Government "within or without the continental limits of the United States" for a period of two years or until discharged should the guard be called out at any time during his three-year enlistment period. The enlistment period of any soldier whose time was close to expiration when his regiment was called out would be extended automatically.

It is proposed to do away with choice of officers by election and commissions would be limited to specific classes and granted only after examination by the War Department. Promotions during active service would be made by the President from the commissioned force or ranks of the organization, dependent upon the grade to be filled. This clause is aimed at appointments from civil life.

At Least 48 Drills Each Year.

At least 48 drills a year and participation in annual field maneuvers would be required. An elaborate system of regulations for training and discipline has been worked out.

Members of both the Senate and House Committee who had looked over the measure said tonight it would require radical amendment in their opinion before it would be acceptable to Congress.

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ALLIES DIVIDED ON ARMING OF MERCHANTMEN

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The belief strongly urged by the British press that merchant ships of all the allied nations would be similarly affected by any restrictions on their carrying armament or neutral passengers has developed the fact that the law and practice of all the allies is not uniform concerning the arming of merchant vessels.

The British and Italian practice recognizes armament for defensive purposes and the prevailing view expressed by the press is that such is a recognized right under international law. But the French practice does not recognize the arming of merchant ships, and French liners to New York are not permitted to carry any guns.

The legal theory on which the French practice is based on an outgrowth of the principle that guns are the property of the King and that no private individual or ship shall be permitted to use them. In case a French merchant ship mounts guns, it immediately becomes a naval auxiliary.

This diversity in law and practice indicates that all the allies would not be similarly affected by any action growing out of recent proposals and warnings concerning the disarmament of merchantmen.

Italian Steamship, Detained as Armed Vessel, Permitted to Sail.

BEAUMONT, Tex., Feb. 12.—The Italian steamship Prometeo today sailed after having been detained here several days by customs authorities on the ground that she was an armed vessel. Instructions were received here last night from Washington following which clearance papers were issued. The Prometeo has a cargo of oil.

ALL SINGLE BRITONS WILL SOON BE CALLED TO ENLIST

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Central News is authority for a report that all single men are to be called on to enlist next week. A royal proclamation shortly will be issued, notifying all single men to attest, the Central News states, attributes the unexpected speedy summons to the many recent consultations between the Minister of Munitions and the War Office.

On Feb. 3 King George signed a proclamation fixing Feb. 10 as the date on which the military service act, which will be regarded as in force. All single men between the ages of 18 and 41, who are not exempt under the act, were allowed until March 2 to attest.

Allies to Fight Disarming of Merchant Ships

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would be issued to Americans to avoid armed merchantmen.

Both Germany and Great Britain have invaded the rights of neutrals as laid down in international law and have done so brazenly, each attempting to justify its action on the ground that the other did it first. "Changed conditions" were advanced as the excuse by both sides in their attempts to explain illegal acts and restrictions to the United States and other neutral nations.

That conditions of warfare have changed with the coming of the submarines is beyond question. That guns of small caliber could easily destroy submarines cannot be denied. Without having committed the United States to any definite position, officials feel that these changed conditions should be recognized in some way.

When Secretary Lansing sent his disarming suggestions to the entente Powers it was not with a view to making easier the work of the lurking submarine, but, on the contrary, in the hope of materially limiting its radius of action and compelling the observance of the requirements of international law by submarine commanders.

AGED NEW JERSEY MAN AND HOUSEKEEPER FOUND SLAIN

Murdered Man Was Supposed to Have Kept Money in Home; Slayer Used an Ax.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Richard J. Wyckoff, 80 years old, who lived on Sour Mountain, near Wertsville, N. J., and his housekeeper, Miss Catherine Ann Fisher, almost as old, were found today with their heads nearly severed from their bodies. The body of the man was in the kitchen of his home and that of the housekeeper was buried under straw in the barn.

Near the barn was found an ax, the blade and handle of which bore stains scarcely dry. Upon Miss Fisher a big iron bolt was used.

Officials are certain the motive was robbery.

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ARCHBISHOP SAYS PREPAREDNESS IS A RELIGIOUS DUTY

John Ireland Criticises Pacifists in Address in Cathedral at St. Paul at Funeral of Man Said to Have Been First to Answer Lincoln's Call for Volunteers.

"PEACE WITH HONOR, YES," HE DECLARES

"But if It Means We Are to Do Bidding of Other Nations and Flag Must Dip in Disgrace, We Must Not Have It."

By Associated Press.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 12.—Peace at any price advocates were criticized and national preparedness was termed a religious as well as a patriotic duty by Archbishop John Ireland at the Cathedral here today in an eloquent funeral oration over the body of Col. Josiah R. King, said by Minnesota historians to have been the first man to answer the call of President Lincoln for 75,000 volunteers in 1861 to put down the rebellion.

The occasion appeared to be an inspiring one for Archbishop Ireland, the birthday of Abraham Lincoln contributing to the patriotic fervor of the funeral services and the prelate left none of his listeners in doubt as to his stand on preparedness.

After eulogizing Col. King and Lincoln and decrying those who say war is never to be countenanced, the venerable Archbishop continued:

"My prayer is that our country may have social and commercial peace, that we may have the prosperity to make us great in all things good and may have a quick response to patriotic duty. We hear much of peace at any sacrifice. Peace with honor, yes. Peace to the glory of our country, yes. But if it means that we are to be the prey of international ambition; if it means that we are to do the bidding of every other nation on earth and that our flag must dip in disgrace then we must not have peace.

"No nation can be weak today in preparedness and strong tomorrow in efficiency."

MEEKER PREFERS PAID MILITIA TO GARRISON PLAN

Congressman Also Advocates Atlantic Inland Waterway at Lincoln Day Dinner.

Congressman Jacob E. Meeker of the Tenth District, speaking at the Lincoln day dinner given by the St. Louis County Republican Committee in Clayton last night, advocated a nationally paid state militia as a substitute for the Garrison continental army plan. He further advocated the Atlantic Coast inland waterway plan, which has been before Congress for several years, as a measure which would facilitate naval defense.

Meeker said American rights on the sea had been "trampled upon unceremoniously by the allies." He said nothing about the conduct of Germany toward the United States, but he praised "Germany the invincible, the admired of the world," and held up that country as an example of the benefits of a high protective tariff.

He declared that the United States should establish order in Mexico, or should abandon the Monroe doctrine. The only American citizen whom the Mexicans fear, he said, is the Texas ranger.

Ridicules Extreme Pacifists.

In discussing preparedness, Meeker ridiculed the extreme pacifists, whom he described as "militant in their efforts to have us do nothing that will make us reasonably sure of our own national safety." He said the nation should not be led away by extreme alarmists, but that it was a good plan to listen to their warnings against the perils of defenselessness.

The least that could be asked in the matter of defense, Meeker said, would be measures to assure the security of American coasts and border lines. They are not now secure, he said.

"Whether we will become involved in war next week, or next year, is not the sole question," he said. "That may be determined to a very large degree by somebody else, and I can think of no one thing that would make it more easy for a foreign Power to determine that they should declare war on us, than for them to know that we are practically defenseless.

"At present we have no inland water system, by which we can bring our smaller war vessels and cruisers from one part of the coast to another. In case of war, our navy would be compelled to live always on the open sea. With the appropriation of a few million dollars, such an inland water route could be provided, so that our scout cruisers and smaller craft could easily pass up and down our coast as they might be needed. And we find that many of our forts have practically no men in them, and are in the charge of keepers. Does it seem an unpatriotic thing to fill up the quota and train the men to use the instruments they have there?"

The present National Guard, Meeker said, is a suitable framework for the development of the needed volunteer soldiery. "The militia pay bill," he said, "will provide the most economical and rational plan for building up a mighty reserve force.

"The National Guard soldier should be relieved from serving as a local policeman. Let the soldier, be he citizen or regular, serve as a soldier, attending to the affairs of his nation, and let the police officer do his work in his locality. Just how this can be worked out I am not going to say, but I believe that such a thing is easily possible, and I am sure that if that occurred we would see the membership of the National Guard jump by leaps and bounds. And with the militia pay bill, which is nothing more than just to the men who offer their services, I am confident that in a very short time we would hear no more talk about the need for a continental army."

Would Put Back Tariffs.

Meeker declared that national finance is one of the most vexatious problems of the party in power at Washington. "The stamp tax is odious," he said. "They haven't the courage to return to a high tariff policy, and they do not know just what to do on the income tax proposition. Of course, it is not necessary for me to state that I believe from every point of view the first and sensible step would be to put back our tariffs and keep them there. The tariff commission as suggested by the President, is a squint in that direction. Certainly if he thought that the tariffs were high enough now, he would not ask for such a commission, and I don't believe that even the freest of free traders would vote for a further tariff reduction. So, in a nutshell, this simply means that our good Democratic friends are trying to 'get out from under' on the tariff."

Speakinf of British encroachments on American maritime rights, Meeker said this country could either "continue to submit, and thereby lost our self-respect," or could declare an embargo on shipments. "The moment that is done," he said, "we must be ready to take care of ourselves when England retaliates, as she surely will, or we must fight it out. Let the United States come out of this, with her not having stood up for her rights, and we can bid the Monroe Doctrine a fond and everlasting farewell."

Senator Gardner Presides.

State Senator Gardner presided at the dinner, which was held in the garage, formerly termed the rathskeller, of the Autenreith Hotel. Nearly 300 were present. Meeker, who was the last speaker, was preceded by T. W. Hukriede of Warren County, Otto F. Stifel, Edward Foristel, Julius R. Nolte, Cleveland A. Newton, Jeptha D. Howe and Franklin Ferriss.

Stifel proclaimed Judge Lamm's qualifications for the office of Governor, and Newton, also speaking for Lamm, declared he would be "a Governor with brains in his head, not in his feet." Howe mystified nearly everyone by a harangue on the theme of hypocrisy in politics. He kept his hearers thinking he was going to be personal, but he did not do so, and there was considerable guessing as to whom he was scolding and what it was about.

Woman Had Ax With Which Lincoln Split Rails.

MONTGOMERY CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—After holding with great tenacity the very ax with which Abraham Lincoln made rails long before he was thought of as a candidate for President of the United States, Mrs. Savala Vandaveer has placed this prized relic in the hands of her nephew, Ed Vandeveer, a grocery man of this city, for disposal. Mrs. Vandaveer has made affidavits as to the history of the ax. In her affidavit she states that it was given to her husband, Charles Vandaveer, by his uncle, William Smith, who worked with Lincoln at the rail-making business before the President moved to Illinois and entered politics.

Bronze Mask of Lincoln Unveiled at Railroad Y. M. C. A.

A. M. Lapham, 72 years old, who recalled frequently seeing Abraham Lincoln in Decatur, Ill., where Lapham's father was a minister, was an interested attendant at the unveiling of a bronze mask of Lincoln, the gift of B. F. Bush, receiver of the Missouri Pacific Railway, at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., Twentieth and Eugenia streets, yesterday afternoon.

The mask is a replica of one made by Leonard W. Volk from life in 1860. Several hundred persons attended the unveiling ceremonies, which followed a luncheon given by the Lincolnville Committee of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Mr. Bush presented the bust, which was received by T. K. Knight, a member of the Board of Managers of the institution. Lincoln's Gettysburg address was read by Robert Pershall, a boy scout. The principal address was made by the Rev. W. C. Bitting, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, on "Lincoln, the Man."

Women for First Time Attend Springfield Lincoln Banquet.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12.—Nearly all buildings were closed here today in honor of the 107th birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

Gov. Dunne entertained at luncheon in the executive mansion the speakers at the night's banquet of the Lincoln Centennial Association. A public meeting was held this afternoon at a temporary structure erected recently by the churches to house revival services.

Illinois' two Senators—Lawrence Y. Sherman and James Hamilton Lewis—were the chief speakers at the public meeting and at the banquet in the State arsenal tonight.

This was the seventh banquet given by the Centennial Association, but it was the first at which women were guests and wine was excluded.

"Vote for Segregation a Vote Against Lincoln," Speaker Says.

That a vote for negro segregation in the election in St. Louis Feb. 29 would be a vote against the referendum and a blow to further progress in the line of direct legislation was the statement of the Rev. Herbert Seeley Bigelow of Cincinnati, in an address yesterday afternoon at the City Club on "The New Emancipation."

"If this ordinance is passed it means that progress to direct legislation is stopped," he said. "It is a vote against Lincoln and what he stands for. I think he will carry that election."

Lincoln's fight for the unity of the republic prevented a line of custom houses on the Mason and Dixon line, a navy in Boston and another in Savannah, or a condition similar to that of Europe today, the speaker said. Our example, he added, it is hoped, will lead to a United States of Europe and final world peace.

Lincoln Services Today in Some of the Churches.

St. Louis yesterday observed the 107th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln by the closing of all municipal offices. Mail delivery also was partially suspended and the Federal Court adjourned for the day. Yesterday and last night a number of meetings were held to commemorate the martyred President's birthday.

This was the first observance of the day as a holiday sanctioned by State law. The last Legislature passed a measure making it a State holiday, except as relating to courts and commercial paper.

Lincoln services will be held in some of the churches today. The Union M. E. Church, Delmar boulevard and Grand avenue, will have a memorial service at 11 a. m., with a sermon by the pastor, the Rev. Grant A. Robbins. The service will be participated in by the following organizations: Ransom Post, Blair Post and Ransom Camp, G. A. R.; Ransom Camp, Maj. Leo Rassieur Camp, Gen. C. D. Wolff Camp, and Gen. James C. Fremont Camp, Sons of Veterans. The veterans will be escorted by Boy Scouts.

MAN KILLS SELF IN CITY HALL

An unidentified man shot and killed himself in the city hall at Granite City about 7 o'clock last night.

Two bits of paper were found in the man's pockets. On one was written: "Rheumatism killed me. I have no home or friends." It was signed "Chink." A postscript read: "I died an honest man." The other paper bore the names, Alberts, 1634 D street, Granite City, and O. R. Snell, Chicago and Cleveland. No one named Alberts was known at the Granite City address. The man appeared to be about 45 years old. He had 30 cents.

Map Showing How St. Louis Has Improved Its Streets and Roads to Connection With County Highways at City Limits

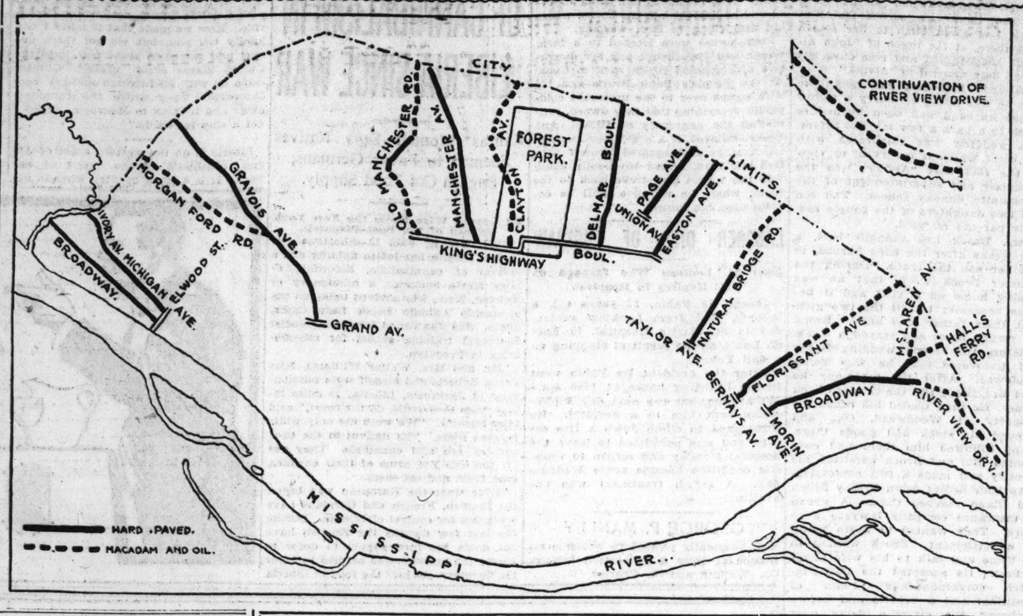


Table Showing City's Expenditures for Paving Its Streets Which Connect With County Highways

STREET.	FROM	TO	MATERIAL.	COST.	MILEAGE.	WHEN COMPLETED.
Broadway	Elwood st	River Des Peres	Granite	$ 157,900	2.00 miles	1906
Alabama av	Ivory av	River Des Peres	Brick	11,800	0.20 miles	1908
Ivory av	Michigan av	Alabama av	Brick	23,580	0.50 miles	1907
Michigan av	Davis st	Dover st	Brick	87,300	2.00 miles	1907
Gravois av	Grand av	City limits	Brick	226,000	3.75 miles	1914-1915
Manchester av	King's highway bl	City limits	Brick and granite	126,900	2.75 miles	1909
Delmar boulevard	King's highway bl	City limits	Bitulithic and wood	122,211	2.00 miles	1905-1914
Page boulevard	Union boulevard	City limits	Brick and asphalt	74,100	1.10 miles	1908-1909
Easton av	King's highway bl	City limits	Bitulithic	70,626	1.50 miles	1904
Natural Bridge	Taylor av	Union boulevard	Brick	53,900	1.05 miles	1912
Florissant av	Carrie av	Bernays av	Asphalt	82,100	1.25 miles	1916
Broadway	Morin av	Hornsby av	Granite	133,380	2.50 miles	1907
Halls Ferry road	Broadway	Newby st	Brick	28,700	0.50 miles	1914
Old Manchester	January av	Magnolia av	Brick	21,254	0.55 miles	1914
				$1,217,761	21.65 miles	
MACADAM AND OILED STREETS AND ROADS.						
Morgan Ford rd	Gravois av	City limits	Macadam and oil	$16,994.16	2.75 miles	
River View drive	Broadway	City limits	Macadam and oil	20,697.75	2.60 miles	

14 STREETS THAT LEAD TO COUNTY ROADS ARE PAVED

City Has Anticipated Good Highways Improvements Now Up to Voters—Has Spent $1,217,000.

For the information of St. Louis County voters, who will ballot Tuesday on a $3,000,000 bond issue to improve county roads, Director of Streets and Sewers Talbert yesterday prepared a statement at the request of the Post-Dispatch, showing how the city has prepared hard paved streets to the city limits, connecting with every main county road, so that a continuous system of hard paved roads to the heart of the city will exist as soon as the county carries through its end of the improvement.

The city has put down hard paving on 14 of these streets for 21.6 miles since 1906 at a cost of $1,217,761. The other two streets to be hard paved—Morganford road and Riverview drive—are now well paved with macadam and oiled. There remains to be completed about five miles of hard paving on roads west of King's highway,, which Director Talbert says will be accomplished within the next four years under the schedule he has mapped out.

If the $3,000,000 bond issue is voted by county residents, they may count with certainty on uninterrupted travel over hard paved streets through the city by the time they have invested the fund in improving their own roads.

Few Are Not Hard Paved.

The only city streets connecting with county roads that are not entirely hard paved are North Broadway, Hall's Ferry road, McLaren avenue, Florissant avenue, Natural Bridge avenue, Clayton avenue, Old Manchester road, Morganford road and Riverview drive.

Clayton avenue throughout most of its length is in Forest Park, and is well paved except for half a mile or so between the point where it leaves the park at the southern border and the city limits. This stretch will be hard paved within a year, Director Talbert said.

In calculating the city's outlay to pave streets that serve county traffic no account was taken of improvements made east of King's highway in South St. Louis, or east of Newstead avenue in North St. Louis. If the paving for the entire length of these traffic arteries were computed, the city's expenditure would amount to more than $10,000,000.

Director Talbert said he had heard of some criticism in the county of the proposed $3,000,000 bond issue on the score that St. Louis should contribute to the expense of county road building. The director said this attitude is not justified, when it is considered how generously the city has built up these same roads as far as they lie within the city limits. This construction has been at least of equal benefit to county and city residents, Director Talbert said.

VANDIVER EXPECTED TO COME OUT FOR GOVERNOR TOMORROW

Announcement Probably Will Result From Folk's Letter Stating He Will Not Make Race.

Willard D. Vandiver, assistant United States Treasurer, in St. Louis, is expected tomorrow to announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor.

This step is the result of the definite announcement on the part of former Gov. Folk that he will not be a candidate. For years Vandiver has been Folk's political adviser. The former Governor's definite refusal to enter the race was contained in a letter to L. C. Burnes of St. Joseph.

To a Post-Dispatch reporter Vandiver said he "would have something to say Monday." Democratic politicians were given to understand several weeks ago that if Folk would not make the race, Vandiver would.

In the letter to Burnes, Folk declared that he could see no especial emergency which demanded that he should become a candidate.

LEADERS CONFIDENT GOOD ROADS BONDS WILL BE CARRIED

Campaign in County Will Close With Meetings Tomorrow Night.

OPPOSITION APPEARS

10,000 Copies of Kirkwood Paper Issued in Fight on Movement.

The campaign for the proposed $3,000,000 serial bond issue, the construction of permanent roads and bridges in St. Louis County, which is the subject of a special election Tuesday, will close tomorrow night with several large meetings. This afternoon meetings will be held in Valley Park and at other places in the western part of the county. Ten rallies in different localities were held last night.

Automobiles, loaned by the owners and decorated with good roads banners, will be used in carrying voters to the polls Tuesday. All men of voting age, who have lived in the State a year and in the county 60 days, are eligible to vote, whether paying taxes or not. A two-thirds vote is required to pass the bond issue.

Officers of the Permanent Road and Bridge Association, which is conducting the campaign for the bond issue, yesterday made predictions of a decisive victory, basing these predictions on a canvass of the 55 voting precincts of the county. The first open measure of opposition to the bond issue appeared yesterday in the form of a special edition of the Kirkwood Courier, of which 10,000 copies were said to have been sent out. The men conducting the campaign for the bond issue said the issue contained many misleading statements, and they intend to prepare and circulate a reply to it.

Bond Issue Campaign Begun Nov. 1.

The campaign for the bond issue began Nov. 1, last, and before last night's meetings, 79 goods roads meetings were conducted by the Permanent Road and Bridge Association, which attended to the advertising and furnished speakers. A total of some 8000 voters attended these meetings, and it is estimated that they traveled a total of 1600 miles to go to and from the meeting places. More than 50,000 letters were sent out, and good roads signs and posters were placed in nearly all schoolhouses, stores and shops. Fifteen large banners have been stretched across roadways.

The association yesterday tabulated the reports which it has received from all the voting precincts. The reports show an anticipated majority in all the precincts and in some cases a 10 to 1 vote for the bonds is predicted. A canvass for opponents of the measure has shown the names of only 702. The total of qualified voters in the county is more than 16,000. The County Court's records show that more than 4000 voters signed petitions asking the court to call the special election.

An argument which has proven effective in behalf of the bond issue proposal is that it will be cheaper for the County taxpayers to vote bonds and build roads which will not involve a heavy cost for maintenance. Under the present system, it is argued, the requirements of maintenance are such that the County Court will be compelled to raise property assessments in order to meet them.

Officers of the Permanent Road and Bridge Association, of which Philander P. Lewis is president, announced yesterday that the books of the association would be shown to any one interested in knowing how its work in behalf of good roads was financed. This announcement was intended to meet the charge that some persons connected with the association hope to make personal profit from the work to be done. The association, it was announced, will maintain headquarters in Clayton, regardless of the result of Tuesday's election, and will continue to work for improvements.

KINLOCH TELEPHONE LINEMEN AGREE TO RETURN TO WORK

Some Points of Difference Yet to Be Settled—Union Called Off Strike of Express Drivers.

The strike of about 300 linemen employed by the Kinloch Telephone Co. virtually was brought to a close last night, when the men agreed to go to work tomorrow under existing conditions. There were a few points of difference between the men and the company still unsettled, after two conferences yesterday between a committee of the men and H. L. Reber, president of the company. The men went on strike Feb. 10.

Reber said that all strikers not guilty of any act of violence would be taken back. The strike was brought about by the demand of the men that all the time they needed in getting to and from work be regarded as overtime and be paid for at the usual rate of one and one-half time. The company insisted upon its agreement to pay full time and expenses for such trips.

The 25 members of the Baggage and Express Drivers' Union, Local No. 754, who went on strike Friday for higher wages and shorter hours, were ordered back to work yesterday by union officials. It was stated by officials of the union that the men quit work without official sanction. The men recently received an increase of $2 monthly, when Father Dempsey acted as referee in a strike.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

Those Entitled to Vote in Good Roads Election

FOR the county bond election for good roads the polls will be open next Tuesday from 6 a. m. until 7 p. m.

Every male citizen of the United States, or any foreign born who have declared their intention to become citizens of the United States not less than one (1) or more than five (5) years before the election at which he offers to vote, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote:

(1). He shall have resided in the State of Missouri one (1) year immediately preceding the election.

(2). He shall have resided in the county sixty (60) days immediately preceding the election.

(3). Each voter shall vote only in the township in which he resides.

(4). Every male person possessing the above qualifications is entitled to vote, whether or not he is a personal or real estate taxpayer.

Germans Attempt to Force Crossing of Yser Canal

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the British fleet is anxiously awaiting the appearance of the German fleet.

"The newspapers further point to the rescue of part of the crew of the Arabis, which they compare with the attitude of the trawler King Stephen (whose captain refused to rescue the crew of a Zeppelin wrecked in the North Sea). According to the Lokal Anzeiger, the Arabis, which had been in service several weeks, displaced 3800 tons."

An official German statement of yesterday said a British cruiser named Arabis had been sunk and another cruiser torpedoed by German torpedo boats. The British Admiralty denied this, stating that the vessel referred to was a mine sweeper. It is thought she may have been the oil-driven freighter Arabis, 3697 tons, in service as a mine sweeper.

French Penetrate German Positions in Champagne on 200-Yard Front.

BERLIN, via London, Feb. 12.—After a violent artillery bombardment on the greater part of the Champagne recently French infantry made an attack yesterday afternoon. The War Office announced today that the French penetrated positions near Massiges over a front of about 200 yards.

The statement says:

"After a most violent artillery bombardment on a great part of our front in the Champagne, the French toward evening made an attack to the east of the Maisons de Champagne Farm, which is northeast of Massiges. They penetrated our positions over a section of not quite 200 yards.

"On Combres Hill we occupied the edges of a crater made by the explosion of a French mine in front of our trenches."

Norwegian Steamer Sunk; All of the Crew Saved.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Norwegian steamer Arabana of Stavanger, a vessel of 891 tons gross, has been sunk. All of the crew were saved. No details regarding the sinking are available.

The Belgian steamer Aduatiek of Antwerp also has been sunk. Two of the crew were lost. The vessel was 1333 tons and was last reported as having arrived at Bilboa, Jan. 9.

Greece Protests Against Italian Proposal to Police Corfu.

BERLIN, Feb. 12, by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—According to the Swiss newspaper Berne Bunde, the Greek Prime Minister has protested against the Italian proposal to land forces to police the island of Corfu. Premier Skouloudis said the general feeling about this step in Greece was such that the Government must decline all responsibility which might result from Italy's action.

British Said to Have Seized Mail Bound for South America.

BERLIN, by wireless to Sayville, Feb. 12.—"According to report from Rotterdam," says the Overseas News Agency today, "the British authorities at Falmouth took from the steamer Celtia, bound to South America, the entire mail for South American countries."

Bulgarian King to Visit Austrian Emperor in Vienna

AMSTERDAM, via London, Feb. 12.—According to a dispatch from Vienna, King Ferdinand of Bulgaria will arrive there Monday for a short visit to Emperor Francis Joseph. King Ferdinand is reported to have been at Austro-Hungarian general headquarters Friday.

SHOTS HALT INTERNED GERMAN SHIP WHICH HEADS FOR SEA

RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 12.—The German steamship Asuncion, interned at Para, requested permission to approach a wharf to take water aboard. Under cover of the fog she turned about and headed towards the sea. The Brazilian cruiser Republica and the auxiliary Teff fired blank shots and as the Asuncion did not stop, they fired on her with projectiles.

The German steamship then stopped and returned to the harbor. The captain later stated that he had no intention of escaping. The local authorities have started an investigation.

The German steamship Asuncion, constructed at Hamburg in 1899 is of 4663 gross tons and is 375 feet long and 46 feet beam. She is owned by the Hamburg-South America Steamship Co. of Hamburg and had been reported as remaining voluntarily at Para.

HUSBAND OF SLAIN WOMAN TESTIFIES FOR HIS MOTHER

Iowan, 80 Years Old, Also Takes Stand in Defense of Her Accused Daughter.

By Associated Press.

WINTERSET, Io., Feb. 12.—Wilhelmina Storck, more than 80 years old, today took the witness stand in defense of her daughter, Mrs. Ida Meyer, 60, who is on trial on a charge of complicity in the murder of her daughter-in-law, Ethel Meyer. The defendant and Ethel apparently were on the best of terms, the aged witness testified.

"I never heard Ida say anything bad about her daughter-in-law," she said.

Fred Meyer, husband of the slain woman, this afternoon took the witness stand in defense of his mother. The son was convicted on a similar charge last December, was sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary, but is out on bond pending an appeal to the Supreme Court. Meyer did not take the stand during his own trial. He denied that he and his wife had quarreled.

"I had nothing to do with injuring my wife, and my mother never asked me to hurt Ethel in any way," declared Meyer. "On the day of my wife's death I went to the barn to do some chores. I had been away from the house about 20 minutes when my mother called and said something had happened to Ethel. We went upstairs together and there found my wife lying on the floor, dead."

The taking of testimony in the case was completed late today and it probably will go to the jury Monday.

The defendant had made her home with her son, Fred, and his wife.

Student Held in Girl's Death Says He Saw Her Die

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Frances Lambert, are said to have been brought about by the recovery of a letter which Miss Lambert received from him last Tuesday, the day before her disappearance.

A previous letter was made public. Orphet is said to have sent it to Miss Lambert through a mutual friend, Miss Josephine Davis of Lake Forest. It read:

"Dear Marion: Jo has told me you have been pretty sick—just got word yesterday morning, hence the delay. I hope that everything is all right now and that you soon will be up and around. I'll try to get down to see you probably on the ninth of February and will call you up on the night of the eighth. It will be under the same conditions as last time. Remember, if everything is not all right by the time I see you, it will be then. What has happened since I saw you is encouraging, although you may not know it. I'll explain when I see you. Above all keep quiet and everything will be all right. If you start going around too soon you may have a relapse or something. I don't like to write any more. You know why, but remember what I told you. Also don't tell anyone about the eighth for I am not supposed to come home then. Remember.

"Bill."

BODY OF MISSING GIRL IN A LAKE

Finding of It Leads to Hunt for a Cleveland Map and Another.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 12.—The finding of the body of Miss Estelle Hosey, 20, missing from her home in a suburb of Ironton, O., since Jan. 29, in a small park lake, has led the police and county authorities to hunt for two men, one of them a Clevelander with whom she had corresponded. The body was found Thursday and the Coroner declares it had been in the water only two days. There was no water in the lungs and the authorities believe she was drugged and then thrown into the lake to hide a crime. The contents of the girl's stomach have been sent to the State Chemist for analysis.

YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.

SENATE.

Lands Committee continued oil lands hearing.

Adjourned at 12:58 p. m. until noon Monday.

HOUSE.

Debate on postoffice appropriation bill continued.

Speeches on Lincoln's life were made and Lincoln's Gettysburg address was read.

Rear Admiral Benson told Harbors Committee improvement of New York harbor channels leading to Navy Yard was imperative.

Hearings on administration ship bill was continued before Marine Committee.

Majority Leader Kitchin deferred until next week introduction of the resolution to repeal the free sugar section of the tariff law.

Adjourned at 5:02 p. m. until noon Monday.

Art Club Indorses Museum Car Line.

The board of directors of the Twentieth Century Art Club, at a meeting last week, indorsed the proposal to build a street car line to the Art Museum in Forest Park. A committee was appointed to attend the Mayor's conference on this question.

Overflow Crowd at the Coliseum Greeting President Wilson See This New Photograph, a Rotogravure in Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

BROCK MAKES FULL RESTITUTION AND AGAIN IS AT PEACE

Cuba (Mo.) Man Who 'Died' to Get $10,000 Insurance Declares He Is Happier Alive and Penniless Than When He Had Plenty of Money.

WILL TRY TO LIVE DOWN HIS DISGRACE

Actions of Son Caused Suspicions That Brock Did Not Die in Barn Fire—Wife Was Traced on Visit to Him in Colorado.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CUBA, Mo., Feb. 12.—John Alvin Brock, "dead, burned and buried" for nearly a year, wants everybody to know that having a reputation as a dead man and having to live up to it is worse than being dead, burned and buried, and if he had to choose between a hunted and conscience-haunted exile, with $10,000 insurance money, and death in a burning barn, he would take the burning barn.

The other time he did not have to choose. The alternatives were of his own proposing. At first he thought he would burn with the burning barn. But when the flames were scorching him and the smoke was seeking to smother him, he spurned death and threw in his lot with life. But it proved a sorry choice. Life had no delight for a man who was "dead." He envied the ashes that were buried as his.

Now John Alvin Brock has come back. He who was, up to a few days ago, nothing but a scoopful of ashes in a hillside graveyard and a few teeth and buttons, a vest buckle and a watch, mementoes in a box, is now flesh, bone and blood and is going and coming among his neighbors who attended his funeral. He is telling them that there are worse things in life than death, and that the man who is honestly dead is fortunate compared to the man who pretends to be dead when he is not.

Happy, Though Penniless.

Although his health is broken and the hunted look has not quite faded from his eyes, he is happier alive and penniless than he was when he had $10,000 and was "dead." He has stripped himself of every possession to pay back what he "died" to get and his great wish is that he may so live among his neighbors that the disgrace of his "death" will not be remembered against him.

Brock is beginning over with a fixed conviction that something should be done to restrain insurance solicitors. He blames the persistence of life insurance men for all his troubles. Not the persistence of the inspectors who pursued him after he was "dead," but the persistence of the agents who pursued him to insure him against death. If he had not been heavily insured, he says, he would never have been tempted to "die." But when, after trading his St. Louis property for a 200-acre farm six miles north of here and finding that he would not be able to meet his obligations, he sought a way out, he thought of his insurance. Alive he was broke. Dead, if he met death in a burning building, he would be worth $13,500.

He spoke to his wife about it. She wept and begged him to dismiss the thought.

On a night in March he and his son, Louis, burned brush on the hillside. Toward midnight they went to bed. An hour later the log barn was in flames. The horses had been turned out of the stable. Brock ran in to try to save a set of harness. His intention, he says, was to be burned to death. But as a part of the barn collapsed, he changed his mind. He threw off his vest, containing his watch and some false teeth and ran out the back way and made his way, unnoticed, to the house, and hid in an alcove among the rafters above the kitchen.

Agreed Brock Had Burned.

Neighbors found the family wailing around the smoldering flames for the husband and father who, it was not doubted, had been burned to death. When Coroner A. H. Horn and Prosecuting Attorney Earl Roberts arrived to gather the details, they were greeted by eGorge Hamilton, the neighborhood spokesman, with: "There's no doubt about it. Brock's burned up. We could smell him burning up." The majority of the other neighbors nodded solemn approval.

Scraping of the ashes produced nothing but the buttons and teeth, the buckle, watch and some bluish ashes.

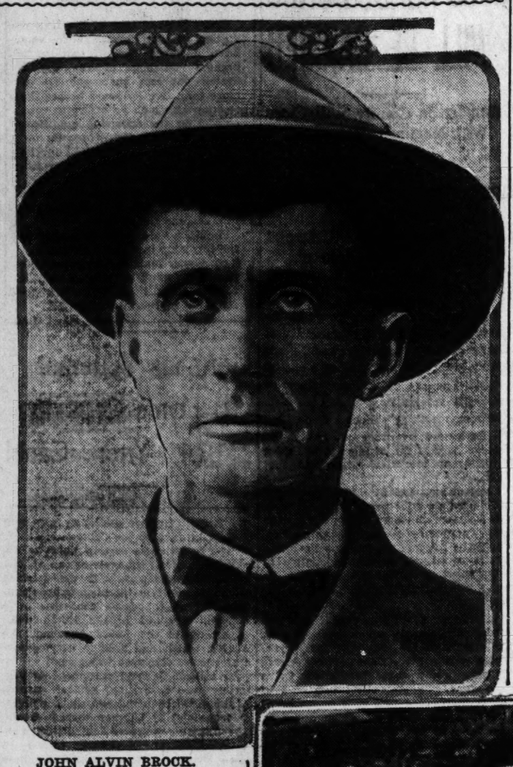
The Coroner concluded that there was hardly enough "remains" to make an inquest worth while, and none was held.

The Coroner and Prosecuting Attorney went to the house and sympathized with the "widow." Mrs. Brock, weeping bitterly, recounted such of the virtues of her husband as came to mind and bemoaned particularly his complete obliteration.

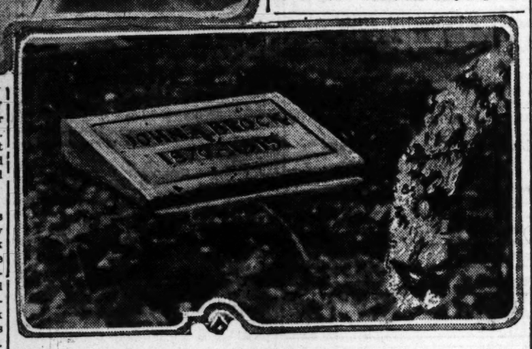
But she was not to be denied the solace of a suitable funeral. The ashes presumed to be the residue of Brock were preserved. The funeral arrangements were being made when Brock came to life, so far as Mrs. Brock was concerned. He could not bear to hear her crying, and when the children went out of the house he climbed down from his rafter perch and told her he was alive. She favored telling everybody, but he explained that this would not do.

He was barely able to persuade her to keep his secret when the children were heard coming back and he had to scurry

He "Died" to Get Insurance; Inscription on His Tombstone



JOHN ALVIN BROCK.



to his hiding place. They had another conference later in the day and Mrs. Brock wanted to know what to do about the funeral. Brock told her to be guided by the advice of A. J. Barnett and other friends.

Big Crowd at Funeral.

The feeling of the community was that the occasion called for not only a funeral, but a burial. Mrs. Brock thought it would suffice to bury the ashes in a small casket, but her advisers demurred. They said it would be like a child's affair. So a man-size coffin was selected from the stock of the village undertaker and the ashes were placed in it. The Rev. Clifford A. Cole, who had been Brock's pastor in St. Louis, came here, accompanied by a delegation of Masons. There was a great crowd at the funeral, including Brock, who heard his memory extolled as he crouched in his rafter retreat.

The casket was carried to the local burying ground, and the Masonic ritual was used at the grave. Worshipful Master W. F. Mitchell stood by the grave, after the casket had been lowered, and said: "Fare thee well, Brother John Alvin Brock, till we meet again."

W. C. Newhold, the Cuba tombstone man, expected an order in keeping with the funeral, and the resuting insurance, but a modest $35 marker was all that the "widow" wanted. It bears the simple inscription:

"John A. Brock—1870-1915."

The "widow" collected the life insurance and a compromise was reached on the accident policy, so that she received $10,000 in all. Brock and the burning barn were filed away in the community consciousness among the things that had been and were not, and interest centered in what the "widow" would do with the money. It soon became apparent that young Louis was doing a good deal with it. He wore clothes that were the wonder of the countryside and terrified wayfarers by tearing along the precarious Ozark roads on a new motor cycle. He made frequent railroad trips, and suspicions of I. C. Walker, district organizer of the Modern Woodmen, and others, grew stronger.

Mrs. Brock Goes to Pueblo.

In October Mrs. Brock and her daughters, Opal, 15 years old, and Pearl, 17, went on a journey, while Louis was away. A check which came back disclosed that she had gone to Pueblo, Colo. Walker sent this information to the legal department of the order. An investigation had already been begun by the Woodmen and the Mutual Life. It was transferred to Colorado. William H. Clapp, a Mutual Life inspector, was sent there. He learned that Mrs. Brock had given birth to her fourth child there, at the ranch of "John Alvins," homesteader, and nine days later had been married to "Alvins."

"Alvins" had told his neighbors that he was going to marry a widow whose husband had been burned to death in a barn a few months before. The wedding was celebrated with the eclat which it deserved, in view of the fact that "Alvins" was the organizer and superintendent of the community Sunday school. The son and two daughters of the couple saw their parents married.

Mrs. Brock had thought best, a few weeks after the barn burned, to tell her son the truth. During the summer Brock wrote that he was coming home on a visit and it became necessary to tell the two girls that their father was alive. Brock did return home and stayed a week.

Before the second wedding Brock had discovered that he was being shadowed. After the ceremony he sent Mrs. Brock and the children back home. He then traded his ranch for property at Woodward, Ok., and shipped his stock and goods there. Clapp followed him there and confronted him and Brock admitted his identity and made a full confession.

An hour before dawn Friday Brock and Clapp reached Cuba. A group of insurance company lawyers were there. They wanted to begin fixing up a settlement. Brock wanted to go home and talk to his wife about it first. He accepted the Post-Dispatch correspondent's proffer of breakfast and a vehicle and before daybreak the six-mile drive over roads hub-deep in mud was begun. Brock was haggard and hollow-eyed from sleeplessness. As the day dawned his eyes met the distant view of his home where his wife and children, apprised by a telegram the day before that he was coming, were waiting.

Wife and Children Weep.

A turn in the road and a house was in full view. A woman was watching at the door. A girl crossed the road and went hurrying across a field to another house, back from the road, nearly a mile further on, carrying the tidings that Brock was coming home. Mrs. Samantha Powers, sister of Mrs. Brock, was still standing at the door as the carriage stopped at the gate and Brock shouted "Howdy." The sight of the man she had supposed dead and the sound of his voice overcame her. She came weeping to the gate, surrounded by her weeping children. And Brock, mourned as dead, consoled her with the reminder that he was living. She said she had sent her daughter Edna across to tell Brock's family that he was coming and urged him to hurry on.

The daughters, Pearl and Opal, stood at the gate as the vehicle turned into the private road leading to Brock's home. They embraced him as he alighted and he hurried into the house, where his wife clung to him, weeping.

Four horses were hitched to a farm wagon and Mrs. Brock and her daughters accompanied Brock back to Cuba. At the People's Bank Brock and his wife signed over to the insurance companies everything that they owned, estimating the aggregate at $11,000. And Brock, relieved of a great burden, feeling that he had squared himself with God and man, loaded his family again into the wagon and drove back to the farm, where he will live until he decides upon his future.

LABORER DIES OF LOCKJAW

East St. Louisan Who Stepped on Nail Expires in Hospital.

Joseph de Fabio, 21 years old, a laborer, died from Lockjaw yesterday in St. Mary's Hospital, in East St. Louis, as the result of stepping on a nail Feb. 5.

After the accident De Fabio went to his boarding house at 2700 Market avenue, but the next day a physician sent him to a hospital. He threatened to climb down a fire escape and was permitted to leave the hospital Monday and return to work. His condition became acute Wednesday. A serum treatment was unavailing.

GEORGE P. MANLEY

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TELLS OF REVIVAL OF CANNIBALISM IN LIBERIA SINCE WAR

Kansas Woman Says Natives Seemed to Favor Germans, English Cut Food Supply.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Shortage of food in Liberia has led to fighting and a revival of cannibalism, according to Miss Marie Suckow, a missionary of Newton, Kan., who arrived today on the steamship Antonio Lopes from Cadiz, Spain. She was bound for the Methodist Episcopal training school for missionaries, in Brooklyn.

"Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, Miss Freda Roberts and myself were missionaries at Jacktown, Liberia, 20 miles inland from Greenville, on the coast," said Miss Suckow. "We were the only white persons there. The natives in the back country are still cannibals. They cut off the legs and arms of their enemies, cook them and eat them.

"Ever since the European war began the English, French and Germans have struggled for control of Liberia. During the last few months the English have cut down the food supply in order to coerce the natives, who seemed to favor the Germans. As half the food in Liberia come from foreign countries, the situation became serious. The natives stole from us, threatened us and burned some of our smaller houses near the station.

"We were more afraid of the cannibals than anything else, so we four, with a native escort, set out for Greenville. How we made that 20 miles I can hardly tell you, but we got there unhurt and stayed in great fear until the United States scout cruiser Chester came up with 200 Liberian soldiers from Monrovia. They drove the cannibals away and took us to Monrovia, where I got a ship for Cadiz."

Liberia is on the western coast of Africa, southwest of the desert of Sahara. It is a small country wherein negroes, some from the United States, have established a republican form of government.

House Members to See Flood Area.

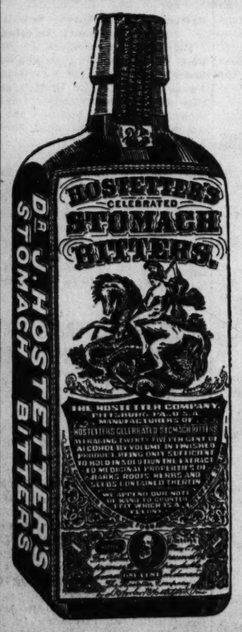
WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The new Flood Control Committee of the House left late today for a week's tour of inspection in the Mississippi flood district. They will go first to Cairo and then to Memphis by rail and from there will proceed through the flooded area by boat.

Negro Lynched for Farmer's Death.

MACON, Ga., Feb. 12.—Marvin Harris, a negro, accused of killing an aged farmer, was lynched near here today.



WHEN THE STOMACH NEEDS ASSISTANCE



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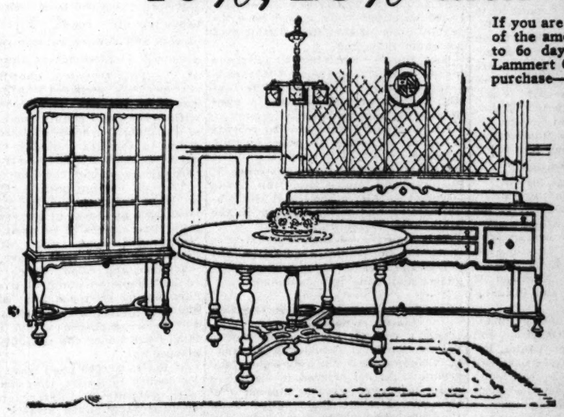


Semi-Annual Clearing Sale

WEDNESDAY, February 16th, is your last opportunity to take advantage of the radical reductions offered during this, "The Premier Furniture Buying Event of the Year"—your last opportunity to buy at a discount our luxurious Living Room Furniture, exclusive Dining Room Furniture, rich Bedroom Furniture, up-to-date Kitchen Appliances, high-class Office Furniture, and hundreds of other things that help to beautify and make more livable the home. Special Sale Tags are on all pieces, in addition to regular Sale Tags, and customers are at liberty to inspect both and see for themselves how much money they will save by attending this sale these last three days. The reductions average

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If you are not yet ready to receive your purchases, pay 10% of the amount of your bill, and we will hold the goods up to 60 days without charge for storage. Remember, the Lammert Guarantee of absolute satisfaction goes with each purchase—just as though you paid the regular price.



More Than Two Floors of Bedroom Furniture

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$525 3-Piece Suite, solid mahogany	$210.00
$181 4-Piece Suite, Circassian walnut	$100.00
$120 Odd Toilet Table, solid walnut, extra large, 3 mirrors	$40.00
$25 Odd Bedroom Table, solid walnut	$12.50
$352 5-Piece Suite, inlaid Circassian walnut	$150.00
$100 Odd Chest of Drawers, solid mahogany	$50.00
$68 Dresser, ivory enamel	$39.00

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The design is a modified adaptation of the popular and fashionable William and Mary motif, and the wood is none other than solid American walnut—in rich dark, smooth as satin finish. Particular attention is directed to the artistic under framing and the pleasing delicacy with which the leg turnings are handled. This Suite comes from a first-class Grand Rapids maker and is an exclusive design for Lammert's particular clientele.

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Buffet Table China Cabinet Serving Table 5 Side Chairs 1 Host Chair

Buffet 60-inch base—large top linen drawer—smaller drawers and cabinet, $51.00

China Case 39x63 inches $46.00

The Chairs Have high graceful backs with cane inserts. Substantial upholstering in appropriate tapestry, each, $8.50

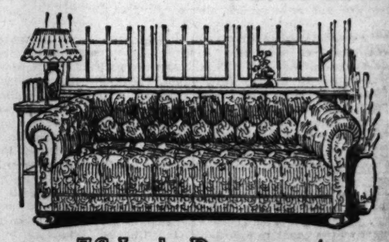
Extension Table 54x54 inches in diameter—extends 8 feet—five 9-inch leaves included without extra charge, $45.00

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$175 9-piece Suite; Charles II, Jacobean oak	$126
$140 Buffet; crotch mahogany; 60-inch	$75
$140 China Case with glass shelves and mirror back	$75
$100 Extension Table; solid mahogany, 10x54	$60
$10 Chairs, to match	$6
$55 China Case; ivory enamel, for breakfast room	$22.50
$60 Buffet; fumed oak, 60-inch	$45.00



76-Inch Davenports

Tapestry or Velour

$55

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ST. LOUIS DOCTOR TELLS OF HIS WORK AS WAR SURGEON

Dr. W. E. Leighton of St. Louis University Served Six Months in Hospital in France.

VISITED THE TRENCHES

Helped to Care for More Than 2500 Wounded in Week After Drive in September.

Dr. William E. Leighton, a member of the medical faculty of St. Louis University, who returned from Europe a few days ago, last night told a Post-Dispatch reporter of his six months' experience as an army surgeon in France.

"I sailed from New York June 15 last, with 29 other physicians under charge of Dr. J. B. Murphy of Chicago to serve in a British hospital," Dr. Leighton related. "We were in London 10 days, being outfitted, and were then sent to France. Each was given a rank so that we might have full authority over our subordinates. I was a Major.

"We were placed in charge of a base hospital of 1040 beds in the little town of Etaples, 40 miles behind the Loos firing line and 150 miles north of Paris. We arrived there July 4 and a Scotch surgeon, to compliment us, had the Stars and Stripes run up beneath the Union Jack over the hospital. It remained as long as I was there.

Taken Into the Trenches.

"Etaples was the center of a huge concentration camp. It was nothing unusual to see 20,000 men on practice marches, digging trenches and hardening themselves for trench warfare. Then we would see them march proudly off for the front—and in a few days many of them would be brought back, wounded.

"I was taken down into the trenches more than once, and saw the system of caring for the wounded before they reached us. When a man was shot his comrades carried him to the dressing station, right back of the lines. There first aid applications were had. Then he was sent a mile further back to the field ambulance hospital, and from there transported by automobile ambulance to the casualty clearing station.

"Physicians there decided to what base hospital the patient was to be sent. If to ours, he was placed upon an ambulance train with several hundred others, and within 24 hours after being wounded was in our admitting room. Seventy-five nurses aided us, and within an hour each patient had been examined, and those not requiring immediate operations had been bathed, assigned to a ward, and fed.

2500 Patients in a Week.

"After the 'great drive' of Sept. 25 we cared for 2500 patients in one week. Those only slightly wounded were sent immediately to England for recuperation. Others, too seriously injured to move, were cared for in our hospital, and at nearby convalescent camps.

"We cared for only the private soldiers of a certain district; the officers were sent elsewhere. The white-clad nurses, called 'sisters,' were literally worshiped by those Tommies, who seemed to deeply appreciate all we did for them. A nurse there is revered by officer and man alike. Miss Hamilton, of East St. Louis, died in the autumn. Her funeral was the most impressive sight I witnessed in Europe. Officers came from 40 miles to pay their last respects. A general dying on the battlefield could have been given no more honors than when the soldiers carried her to her grave."

German Spies Proficient.

Dr. Leighton said the German spy system seemed to find out everything that went on behind the British lines. He said that one day he overheard two German prisoners just brought in, talking, and said they knew almost as much about the camp as he did.

"One dark night in October a new division, fresh from England, was ordered to occupy a certain long trench," Dr. Leighton said. "Strict orders were given against any talking, or lighting of pipes or cigarettes. Every effort was made to prevent the Germans from knowing that re-enforcements were being sent in.

"But just as the first company of the first regiment took their station, Germans in the opposing trench, about 300 yards distant, hailed them in English, calling out to them the number of their regiment, and then began cursing them. As each regiment filed into place they were greeted in the same way, the Germans cursing them and giving each regiment a nickname. It was a mystery to me how the private German soldiers could know as much as we did as to which regiments were going in; it was more than the British public could know, with their censorship."

No Quarter Asked or Given.

Dr. Leighton said the Germans and British were bitter against each other, and were neither asking nor giving quarter. But with the French and Germans it was different, he said, and often they would hold a short truce and exchange tobacco.

"But I never knew a wounded 'Tommy' or officer who desired to return to the firing line," he continued. "They seemed to have had enough of it after being wounded once. Thousands of youths were recruited in England by 'spell-binders;' once in the trenches they found there was little glory for them.

"I saw scores of men who had been wounded in the hand. That's a pretty serious offense there, especially if there's powder burn on the hand. That means the soldier shot himself to get out of the trench. Fearing the tell-tale powder burn, many would hold a hand above the parapet and let the Germans shoot a finger off.

"Either offense meant court-martial, and I know of many afterward shot for it. Scores of Americans who joined the British for love of adventure began making desperate efforts to obtain release after a few nights of trench warfare. For there all the gilt and gold braid of war is stripped off, and its sheer misery is fully realized."

Saw British Blunders.

The physician said he saw a hundred instances of the Briton's blundering methods, both in London and in France. "They were literally blundering through the affair, and the people themselves realize it," he said. The French impress you as being heart and soul in the struggle. Every man of military age there wears a uniform, or has been discharged because of injury. But in England it is different. There's not the wild enthusiasm on special occasions you might expect.

"Shortly after Sergeant O'Leary was decorated with the Victoria Cross for killing eight Germans in attacking a trench, he was furloughed to London. One night at a theater the announcement was made that O'Leary was in the audience. Five Americans made more noise clapping than the 1500 British present. And O'Leary didn't come down to the stage, either. Can you imagine such apathy in America?"

Dr. Leighton said many British surgeons were envious of Sir John French's complimentary report of the Etaples hospital—one of the few mentioned by Gen. French when he was recalled to England.

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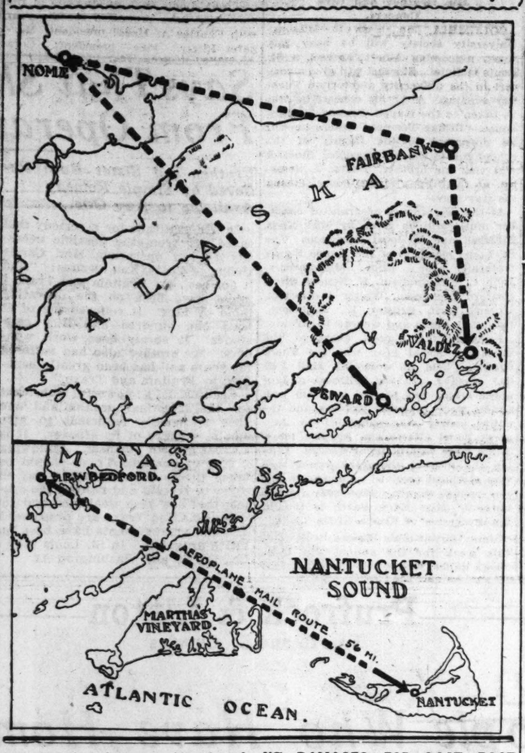
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Proposed Aeroplane Mail Routes in Alaska and Massachusetts



U. S. ASKS FOR BIDS FOR DELIVERY OF MAIL BY AEROPLANE

Postoffice Department Considers Establishing Routes in Massachusetts and Alaska.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Aerial mail service to isolated points in Alaska and Massachusetts is contemplated by the Postoffice Department. Bids were asked today for service on eight routes, seven of them in Alaska. Oct. 1 is named as the date for their starting.

The Massachusetts route is from New Bedford to Nantucket, 56 miles, and return, partly by land and partly by water. Trips would be made 13 times a week, during the summer months, and six times in the winter. An aeroplane would have to be able to carry a weight limit of 300 pounds. The present cost of the service is $23,000 a year.

The Alaskan routes form a connecting link from Seward to Nome, thence to Fairbanks and back to Valdez. Most of them call for a service twice a week throughout the year. On some of the routes the cost now is as high as $100,000 a year, and in winter six weeks is required to make the trip.

The aeroplane contracts allow two days for most of the trips. The longest route, Valdez to Fairbanks, is 358 miles. The extreme time limit of six weeks on some of the routes is required because mail sometimes has to be routed via Seattle.

NO DAMAGES FOR LOST BOAT

Jury Awards Owner of Shiloh Only $337 Due for Rent.

A suit growing out of the sinking of the steamboat Shiloh at the wharf at Memphis, Dec. 15, 1913, was decided yesterday by a jury in Circuit Judge Koerner's court. The plaintiff was the St. Louis & Tennessee River Packet Co., owner of the boat, asking $9000 damages against Capt. Edward Noland Jr. of Memphis, who chartered the steamer Oct. 29, 1913, for five months, at $22.50 a day.

The jury refused to allow damages for the loss of the boat, but gave a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $337.50, which amount Noland admitted he owed for rent.

35 LATEST PAINTINGS OF ST. LOUISAN ON EXHIBIT

William F. Matthews Displays Canvasses Mad Last Summer Along the Maine Coast.

William F. Matthews, a St. Louis artist, has placed on exhibition at the Noonan-Kocian art galleries at Tenth and Locust streets, 35 of his latest paintings. This exhibition will continue two weeks and will be open each week day to the public.

These are all landscape and marine paintings. They were made last summer along the Maine Coast where Matthews went especially to find suitable subjects for his brush.

Matthews, who obtained some of his early art training on the Post-Dispatch art staff, is known as one of St. Louis' leading artists. In 1904 and 1905 he won first prize for landscape paintings in the annual exhibitions of the Artists' Guild.

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CANVASS BY Y. M. C. A. CLUB

Will Seek Out Strangers and Offer Them Companionship.

Forty members of the Sunday Sunset Club, a supper organization of members of the Central Y. M. C. A., will start today on a canvass of boarding and rooming houses in St. Louis to find young men under 35 years old who are away from home and have no local social affiliation.

The district to be visited is the neighborhood of Central Branch. The club's object is to offer friendly association and pleasant environment for at least one evening a week to strangers in the city.

The Sunday Sunset Club meets Sunday afternoon from 5:30 to 6:30 for general talk and supper. Usually there is a speaker, but the greater part of the hour is spent informally over the meal.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed 63,724 Male Help Wanted ads, just 11,003 more than its nearest competitor.

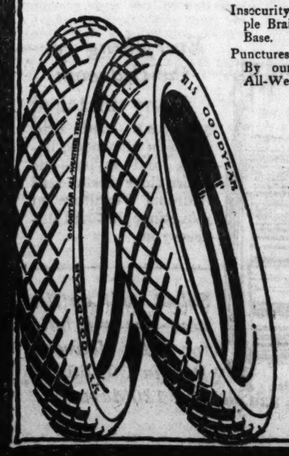
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F. M. OTTOFY'S SON MARRIED AT HOME OF HIS PARENTS

E. Mason Roberts, Father of Bride, Says Ceremony Was "Practically Elopement"—Her Parents Not Among 70 Guests.

Frank B. Ottofy, 23 years old, vice president of the Edison Automobile Co., and Miss Leona A. Roberts, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mason Roberts of 5535 Bartmer avenue, were married last night at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ottofy, 5520 Clemens avenue. About 70 guests were present, but the bride's parents were not among them. The Rev. C. F. Blaisdell performed the ceremony.

Miss Roberts has been a pupil in Hosmer Hall, and her parents wished her to wait until after her graduation, next June, before marrying. Ottofy objected to this delay and persuaded Miss Roberts to consent to an immediate marriage. His father approved, saying the young man was spending all his evenings calling at the Roberts home and that the courtship had gone on long enough.

The young woman's father, who is president of the American Beverage Co., said last night that he heard of the marriage only a short time before it took place. He said he and Mrs. Roberts, realizing a few days ago that their daughter had determined to be married at once, offered their home for the wedding, but that Ottofy seemed to doubt the sincerity of this offer.

The bridal pair left the city after the wedding and Roberts said he could not say what attitude he would assume on his next meeting with his daughter. He spoke of the marriage as "practically an elopement."

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$544,910 WORTH OF STOLEN STAMPS HAVE BEEN FOUND

Federal Officials Complete Count—Details of Confession Kept Secret.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—After obtaining a confession from one of the seven persons under arrest for complicity in the safe blowing in the Government building at St. Paul, Minn., from which $650,000 worth of United States internal revenue stamps and $3000 were stolen Jan. 6, Federal officials today continued the questioning of the prisoners in the belief that others may be involved in the crime.

The name of the person who confessed, and the details of the prisoner's story were carefully guarded by the Federal secret service men.

Woman Arraigned.

Michael J. Flannigan and his wife, Catherine, were the first of the prisoners arraigned before United States Commissioner Foote charged with failure to reveal knowledge of a felony against the Government. Both were released on bail, the bonds of Flannigan being fixed at $50,000 and those of his wife at $10,000. Their hearing was set for Feb. 23.

George Bissett and Edward Leonard, charged with the robbery, were later arraigned and the cases continued until Feb. 21. They were unable to furnish the bond of $100,000 demanded and were taken to Cook County jail.

The cases against Mrs. Nellie Leonard, John J. Zeck and Mrs. Florence Zeck were continued to the same date. Mrs. Leonard and Zeck, in default of bail, were sent to the Du Page County jail at Wheaton, Ill., where Mrs. Zeck was released on a $500 bond.

Frank Bissett was turned over to the police late in the day to see if he should appear as "wanted" anywhere in the records in the Bureau of Identification. The Federal authorities said they had no evidence against him.

P. A. Davitt, an accountant from the Department of Internal Revenue at Washington, and L. Kilcourse of the local department, worked throughout the day in counting the recovered stamps. At the conclusion of their task it was announced that the total value of the stamps was $544,910.04.

Missouri Hotel Sold for $50,000.

MEXICO, Mo., Feb. 12.—R. R. Buckner of this city paid T. J. Hoxsey $50,000 today for the Hoxsey Hotel, one of the leading hostelries in this section.



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FUNERAL OF MRS. M. M. RUMSEY WILL BE HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Widow of Founder of Manufacturing Company Died Yesterday After Three Weeks' Illness.

Mrs. Moses M. Rumsey, 63 years old, of 39 Portland place, widow of the founder of the Rumsey Manufacturing Co., died yesterday morning at St. Luke's Hospital, following a three-weeks' illness from uraemic poisoning.

A few days ago Mrs. Rumsey's condition became so critical that her children were summoned to her bedside. They are Lee M. Rumsey and Mme. Pierre Cartier of Paris, France, who were at Miami, Fla., and Mrs. D. Bryson Delavan of New York.

Moses M. Rumsey, who died about 10 years ago, was an uncle of Excise Commissioner Horace S. Rumsey.

The funeral will be held from the residence this afternoon, Bishop Tuttle officiating. Burial will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

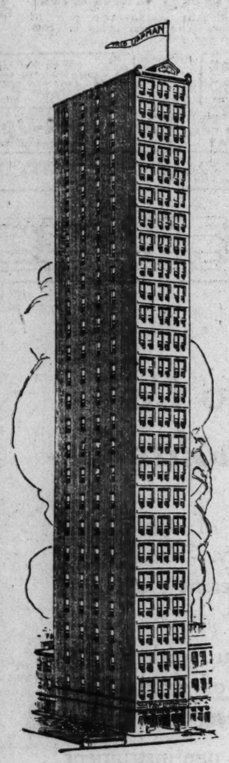
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ALLEGED FORGER IS CAPTURED

Man Wanted in Iowa Reported to to Have Posed as Naval Officer.

KEOKUK, Io., Feb. 12.—C. A. Brown, alias E. L. Davidson, alleged forger, who is wanted in several Iowa cities, has been captured at Chattanooga, Tenn., according to word received here today by Chief of Police Jenney. Davidson, the police say, posed as a naval officer when in this State.

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CANAL ZONE LAND CLAIMS COST U. S. MANY MILLIONS

Major-General Goethals Tells Commerce Commission of Loss Through Awards.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The liberality of various joint land commissions in settling claims for property taken in the canal zone has cost the United State millions of dollars, Major-General Goethals today told the House Interstate Commerce Commission, in urging the passage of the Adamson bill to force the commission to settle for lands on the basis of their value when the treaty was entered into with Panama in 1903 rather than their increased value, as has been the custom.

All of the land in the 10-mile strip along the canal subject to claims would not be worth more than $1,000,000 as its 1903 value, the General said, but it is likely to cost $17,000,000 or $18,000,000 at the rates which have been paid.

Asked for specific instances, Major-General Goethals said that in one case where a parcel of land was worth $1 a hectare in 1902, and an agreement had been entered into that it should be paid for at this rate, the owner took the matter to the Joint Land Commission and obtained $35 a hectare.

Chairman Adamson spoke of a case where land that had sold for $1500 had been taken in at $360,000 by the commission, and the General said he, too, had heard of it.

The joint commission consists of two Panamaians and two Americans.

Chance for City Electric Plant Hurt by the War

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is equivalent to adding that much to the capitalization of the company.

Cost of City Plant.

The cost of duplicating the Union Electric service in a municipal plant would not exceed $15,000,000, the Aldermen are agreed, and might approximate only $12,000,000. They reach this conclusion from informal estimates made by experts, and by the known cost of plants in Cleveland, Toronto, Detroit and other places that have been inspected by the committee.

In order to determine this cost accurately, the committee will direct a letter next week to the Board of Public Service, asking that Director of Public Utilities Hooke be supplied with necessary expert assistance to prepare a detailed estimate of cost.

The cost of machinery, wire and virtually everything that goes into such a plant is much greater today than in normal times, on account of the European war, the committee has been advised. It will, therefore, seek estimates based upon costs that existed prior to the war, on the theory that the prices of such equipment will recede to about the same point at the close of the war, or possibly before. Copper formerly cost about 14 cents a pound, but today it is quoted at about 26 cents, because of the big demand for it in belligerent countries.

Members of the committee say there is a feeling among them that construction of a municipal plant should be recommended only in case there is no alternative. The statements of Union Electric officials have gone far toward convincing them there is no hope of lower rates from the Union Electric unless radical changes in the capitalization of the company and the repudiation of the Keokuk contract are accomplished.

AUTHOR OF "DARIUS GREEN AND HIS FLYING MACHINE" DIES

John Townsend Trowbridge Was Poet and Author of Boys' Books, as Well as Several Novels.

ARLINGTON, Mass., Feb. 12.—John Townsend Trowbridge, poet and author of stories for boys, died tonight. Death was caused by bronchitis, which developed from a severe cold.

Trowbridge was one of the last survivors of the group of authors who made Boston a famous literary center in the first three decades of the last half of the nineteenth century. Although his chief success came from the writing of books for boys, he also published several novels and volumes of poetry.

Perhaps the best known of Mr. Trowbridge's verse is the humorous poem "Darius Green and His Flying Machine," written in 1870. When, 40 years later, he first saw an aeroplane in action, he remarked: "I never dreamed when I wrote that poem that such a thing as a flying machine was even a possibility in my lifetime."

Among his books for boys, the most popular were "Cudjo's Cave" and "The Three Scouts."

LAW UPSET, COMPANIES RECOVER KANSAS OIL INSPECTION FEE

Supreme Court Holds That Statute to Cover Service Cost Would Be Constitutional.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 12.—The Kansas oil inspection fee law was held to be unconstitutional by the Kansas Supreme Court today, because the fees are in excess of the amount necessary to pay the cost of inspection. The fee was 10 cents a barrel.

It was held that the law, as it has been operating, was a revenue-producing measure rather than a police measure. The Court ordered the State Treasurer to return to the various oil companies operating in the State the $123,789.04 paid under protest in the last 11 months as inspection fees.

The Court held that an inspection law which exacts fees sufficient to pay the costs of the inspection would be constitutional.

WILL DECIDE IF WOMEN MAY VOTE ON CONVENTION DELEGATES

Illinois Tribunal Will Also Pass on Question of Committeemen Balloting.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12.—The question of whether women have a right to vote for national convention delegates and State and precinct committeemen will be passed upon by the State Supreme Court Monday or Tuesday.

A petition for permission to bring mandamus proceedings was filed in the Supreme Court today by James T. Garretson of Springfield against County Clerk Charles W. Beyers. The Court is asked to pass upon the matter at this term.

Garretson contends the suffrage act permits women to vote on all offices created by statute and that national convention delegates and alternates and State central committeemen and precinct committeemen are offices of this kind.

Chicago and Cicero women have received the right to vote on the offices in question by a decision of the Election Commission of Chicago, despite the fact that Attorney-General Lucey ruled that the suffrage does not cover these offices. Most of the down-state County Clerks have decided, as did Byers, to follow the ruling of the Attorney-General.

Entertainment for Newsboys.

Newsboys of the Sunday and Western Watchman will have an entertainment and benefit under the auspices of the two Catholic publications, in Hibernian Hall, 3619 Finney avenue, Thursday evening. Harry V. Watkins, parish circulation manager, is arranging a vaudeville and dancing program.

ALBERT STOESSEL, VIOLINIST, WILL PLAY AT MISSOURI U.

St. Louis Musician Will Be Guest of His Brother and Give Concert.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 12.—Missouri University society will be busy this week, welcoming Albert Stoessel, a St. Louis violinist. Stoessel will give a concert in the university auditorium Tuesday evening. After his concert he will be taken to the Kappa Sigma fraternity house, "Bridge Terrace," where he will be presented to the faculty of the school and to the townspeople. Stoessel will visit his brother, Walter J. Stoessel, at the Kappa Sigma house, during his stay here.

At the reception a program of chamber music will be given by Miss Edna Stoessel, and by local musicians. The St. Louis members of the Kappa Sigma fraternity are: Eliot Miltenberger, John C. Cunningham, F. Fenner Stice, Sanford Hickerson, Walter J. Stoessel, Horace Wait, Benson E. Nicholson, Hamilton Force and George R. Bryant.

Probably the biggest event of the university social year was the Theta cotillion, held at Columbia Hall Friday evening. In the ballroom a Japanese effect was carried out. On wall panels were Japanese pictures and the entire ceiling was concealed by Japanese panel effects and Spanish moss. There were several favor dances. During the first of these the young men who attended received gold pencils and the young women Japanese incense burners. Miss Edna Barch is the St. Louis member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Many out-of-town guests will come this week for the annual Phi Delta Theta dance, which will be next Friday evening in Columbia Hall. Among those who will attend from St. Louis are: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnston, Mr. Frank Scott, Mr. Meredith Jones and Miss Ruth Johnston.

The St. Louis Club of students in the university have organized for the year with Charles A. Hoke, president; Margaret Ritter, vice president; Cora Schoutte, secretary; Phillip Mayer, treasurer. Plans were made for a dancing party and a dance to be held this month. There are about 250 St. Louis students in the university.

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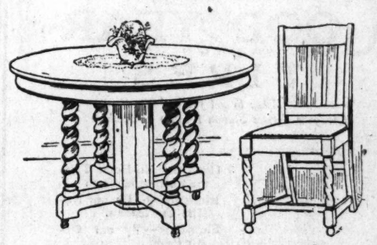

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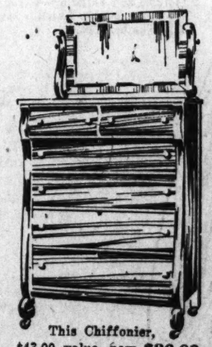

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$33 Large China Closets, any finish	$22.00
$35 Buffet, Quartered Oak	$25.00
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EDITORIAL
After the War Is Over

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(Signed)

Harry Prufrock

Feb. 12, 1916.

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PART FOUR. ST. LOUIS, SUNDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 13, 1916. 1S

ANDERSON SHADES YOUNG WALLACE IN SLUGGING MATCH

Rally in Last Two Rounds Gives Duquoin Boy Verdict Over Milwaukee's Son of Swat in South Broadway A. C. Feature.

STAPP SUBSTITUTES FOR KERN AND WINS

Benld Boxer Fails to Show Enough Speed and as a Result Local Boy Finishes With Pronounced Edge.

Harry Sharpe's Decisions

Bobby Anderson of Duquoin, Ill., vs. "Young" Otto Wallace of Milwaukee, Wis., 8 rounds at 132 pounds at 3 p. m.—Anderson the winner on points.

Charley Stapp of St. Louis vs. Pete Marlow of Benld, Ill., 8 rounds at 145 pounds—Stapp the winner on points.

Will Zeman vs. Joe Meek, 8 rounds at 130 pounds—Zeman the winner on points.

By Harry S. Sharpe,

Bobby Anderson, the Duquoin (Ill.) boxer, took a close bout from "Young" Otto Wallace of Milwaukee, Wis., at the South Broadway Athletic Club last night, but it was not until the very last round that he was assured of victory. For eight rounds these boys gave and took hard swings and punches that might have ended the battle any time had they been less able to assimilate punishment.

Wallace, the stranger, demonstrated right from the beginning that he is a willing fighter, and when Anderson meets this kind there is sure to be a battle. They stood within short range of each other throughout the bout without show of fear or effort to evade punishment except in the orthodox way of blocking and sidestepping. There was no "stalling" by either in any part of a round, and the fast work and hard fighting aroused the crowd of about 600 to a noisy manifestation of enthusiasm.

Anderson's Reach Helps.

Anderson had an advantage of heighth and reach, but not so much so as he had over Matty Smith at the Future City A. C. on last Tuesday night. However, he used it to good advantage, and it enabled him to swing lefts and shoot straight rights to the head and face that gave Wallace considerable cause for concern. Using a straight left, too, he managed often to stop the Milwaukee boy as he came tearing in. Anderson was much better at long range, and it was when he failed to keep Wallace at a distance that he exposed himself to the greatest danger.

Wallace is a two-handed fighter, but he gives preference to a left-hand swing that he uses to the head or body with equal effect. Some of these landed on Anderson, but the latter's wonderful strength and power of assimilation enabled him to recuperate quickly and retaliate with hard punches.

Only once—in the third round—did it look as if Anderson was close to a knockout. He received some hard punches to the body, followed by right and left to the jaws, and for a few moments thereafter he staggered blindly about the ring, instinctively covering his face with the gloves for protection. Wallace was after him like a tiger, but failed to get through, and before he could do any further damage the bell ended the round. The minute rest between rounds freshened Anderson greatly, and he responded for the next one strong.

Anderson Loses Early Edge.

Anderson took the first two rounds by a slight margin, owing to his superior speed and aggressiveness, which enabled him to outbox Wallace. The third round belonged to Wallace by a wide margin, as he out-hit Anderson, and had him looking bad at the end. The fourth, fifth and sixth rounds were of the give-and-take kind, with honors very even. The seventh and eighth rounds were Anderson's by a fair margin, with Wallace apparently tiring fast in the closing moments. However, both boxers retained a lot of strength, and were hitting so hard that a well-directed blow might have won for either by a knockout.

With the beam set at 132 pounds at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the boxers weighed in, and neither raised it. Anderson claimed to have been at 130½ at 6 o'clock.

The semi-final, 8 rounds at 145 pounds, was won by Charley Stapp of this city from Pete Marlow of Benld, Ill., after a hard fight. Stapp had substituted for Johnny Kern, when the latter reported sick, and had accepted the bout on three days' notice.

Will Zeman, making his first appearance as a professional, administered a sound trouncing in the preliminary to Joe Meek, a heavily muscled boy, but of no speed or boxing ability. This was eight rounds at 130 pounds.

Following the bouts Referee Eddie Randall gave it as his opinion that Anderson, Stapp and Zeman were the winners.

WILLARD ABOUT READY TO START WORK AGAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Jess Willard is rapidly recovering from a cold and touch of influenza, which attacked him early in the week. He quit training in the gymnasium of the Chicago A. A. for three days, but was around today looking and feeling right well. "I am almost well," he said, "and expect to start for New York soon. "My cold was troublesome and I feared the trip, but am feeling so much better that I decided to get some exercise rather than sit around and grow fat."

"Masked Marvel" Is Thrown.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 12.—"Strangler" Lewis won a hard match from Mort Henderson, the "Masked Marvel," in the Yale Gymnasium before an enthusiastic crowd here tonight. Lewis obtained a toe hold and a halfnelson after 27m. 20s. and threw his opponent.

Harvard Defeats Yale.

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Harvard won the fourth game of the annual hockey series with Yale, 2 to 0, tonight.

PENNY ANTE: Cash in Advance

By JEAN KNOTT



FOUR MUNICIPAL PENNANT WINNERS ALREADY DECIDED

Spaniards, C. B. C., St. Teresas and Yawitz Team Cannot Be Headed Off.

In only two of the divisions of the Municipal Soccer League is the pennant winner in doubt. In the other four the flag winners are "in." In groups Nos. 2 and 3 at Fairground can one of the other elevens replace the present leader. The race in Group No. 2 is easily one of the closest ever staged here. Only one point separates the first three teams, with the Bob Whites and Ruhrs tied for the lead, with the M. A. A. next, one point behind. The Ellermans and Manewals both have a chance to cop in Group No. 3.

The Yawitz team cannot be shoved from first place at Forest Park; the Spanish F. C. has copped in Carondelet; Christian Brothers at C. B. C., while the St. Teresas have things their own way in Group No. 1 at Fairground.

The feature game today should result at Fairground, when the Ruhrs and Bob Whites battle for the lead in Group No. 2. The complete schedule is as follows:

FAIRGROUND NO 1.
St. Augustines vs. St. Teresas.
Perpetual Help vs. St. Liborious.

GROUP NO. 2.
Leacocks vs. Missouri A. A.
Ruhrs vs. Bob Whites.

GROUP NO. 3.
De Pauls vs. Immaculate Conceptions.
Ellermans vs. Manewals.

CARONDELET PARK.
Kohlmans vs. Southern A. C.
Spanish F. C. vs. Eckhardts.

FOREST PARK.
Manhattans vs. Concordias.
Yawitz vs. Columbus Club.

C. B. C.
C. A. C. vs. St. Edwards.
Trumbulls vs. Sons of Father Mathew.
C. B. C. vs. West End A. C.

JUNIORS.
Sonnenberga vs. Suburbans.
Ruuds vs. Perpetual Help Juniors.

McKinley Easily Defeats Central in Basket Game

Victory Practically Clinches Pennant for South Siders—Yeatman Beats Soldan.

The McKinley High School basket ball team last night practically clinched the Interscholastic League championship by acquiring a 52-to-20 victory over Central. In the other clash, Yeatman handed Soldan a 41-14 drubbing. Yeatman now is the only one that has a chance to tie the South Siders. In order to do this they will have to win their remaining two games, while McKinley must lose both. This is hardly probable, as McKinley next week plays Cleveland, the weak member of the league.

Buerborn and Palmer, as usual, were the stars for McKinley. Between them they counted 32 of the teams' points. McElwee with 14 points starred for the mid-city quint. In the Yeatman-Soldan game, Drewes, who aletrnated at center and right forward for the winners, counted 31 points.

Yeatman (53).	Positions.	Soldan (14.)
Winkelman (2).	Left forward.	Savage (8)
Kelly (2)		
Drewes (31).	Right forward.	Stratton (2)
Stanley (2)		
Drewes.	Center.	Speed
Von Lehsen (12).	Left guard.	Curran.
Hausleden (2)		Schuester
Wooster (2).	Right guard.	Epstein (4)
McKinley (62).	Positions.	Central (20).
Palmer (14).	Left forward.	McElwee (14)
Menge (10).	Right forward.	Nelson (4)
Fuerborn (18).	Center.	Sweitzer (2)
Leffler (6).	Left guard.	Strauss.
		Haase, Miller
Conzelman (4).	Right guard.	Whitley.
		Wassel

"Not Guilty!" Old Man Dope Pleads, When Charged With Picking the Browns to Win

However, He Thinks Fielder Jones' Noodle Might Jockey 'Em Home First in Spite of Themselves—According to Many Figures and Some Guessing, Five Clubs Equal or Excel Local Players.

By John E. Wray.

WITH praiseworthy self-denial the United Order of Grand Stand Managers has refrained from its obvious duty to tell Fielder Jones his opening day lineup. The U. O. of G. S. M. will resolutely adhere to its determination not to intervene in this matter, and to give the Sportsman's Park sage every opportunity to show whether he is "there."

However, there is nothing binding on Old Man Dope, who, released from the trenches by Judge Landis' dismissal of the Feds' injunction suit, is again mingling with the traffic on pennant highway. He still has a wary eye on the George Stallings machine which put him in the hospital, two years ago, and then backed over him, last season.

The Old Top received a committee that waited on him very conservatively. Asked what he thought of the Browns, he said:

"I think very highly of Fielder Jones."

"Yes, but what do you think of the club?"

Diluting the Federals.

"REMEMBER, I'm not compelled to incriminate myself. But frankness forces me to state that the Browns are made up of 50 per cent Terriers (a club that couldn't quite win the Federal League pennant), diluted with Rickeyites, that last year could only beat out the Mackmen (who ran with daubers down all season) and Cleveland, which wasn't a team, but a tomb. I remember the howl made last year that the Federal League was not as strong as the American Association. Is it necessary to say any more?"

"Do you concede Fielder Jones a chance to win the flag?" was the next shot put.

"Fielder Jones is the team's ONLY chance. He would have a look-in with almost any bunch of men. The pick of 1915 Browns is not so much. It consists largely of three persons—Carl Weilman, Derrill Pratt and Bert Shotton.

Four Clubs Excel Browns?

"IF you give me a few kilowatt hours, Keokuk rates, with the dope. I think I could demonstrate that **at least four American League clubs and possibly five are in personnel stronger than the Browns.** Perhaps Washington would stack up favorably with the Browns, Walter Johnson considered.

"But I think enough of Fielder Jones to rate him more valuable to the club than Ty Cobb or Walter Johnson.

"On what do you base your opinion of Jones?"

"S-h-h! Be careful of my split lip, Bo. Jones took the tailend Fed team of 1914 and parlayed it into a club that came within .00037 of winning the flag. Prior to that he had never finished worse than third, and had won a world's pennant and a league flag with the worst looking bunch of discards in the American League—excepting the pitchers.

"Then you do not think a lot of the Browns?" triumphantly exclaimed the spokesman of the committee.

"No—just a lot of Jones."

After which the Old Guy proceeded to lock up his vocabulary for the evening.

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Browns More Than Half Feds.

THERE'S something to what Old Man Dope says, although he seems to be a bit biased. Alibi Ike, who was a member of the committee that waited on the old scout, said afterwards Old Man Dope had it all wrong about the makeup of the new Browns.

After Ike had finished HIS speel, we gained the following idea of how the Browns might look, based on the two opposing views:

OLD MAN DOPE		ALIBI IKE
	CATCHERS.	
*Hartley.		Severeid,
*Chapman.		*Hartley.
	PITCHERS.	
*Plank,		*Plank,
*Davenport,		Wellman,
*Crandall,		Hamilton,
Wellman,		*Davenport,
Hamilton.		Baumgardner,
Sisler,		Koob.
	INFIELDERS.	
*Borton,		Sisler,
Pratt,		Pratt,
*Johnson,		Lavan,
*Deal,		Austin,
Lavan.		*Johnson.
	OUTFIELDERS.	
*Tobin,		Shotton,
*Marsans,		*Tobin,
Shotton,		*Marsans,
*Miller.		Walker.

*Former Federal League players.

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Old Browns Below Par.

ACCORDING to Dope, the reconstructed Browns will consist of 11 former Feds and six former Browns—omitting raw material—while, according to Alibi Ike, 11 Brownies and six Feds will survive.

For the sake of the Browns' future most of us will hope that Old Man Dope is right because if two-thirds of last year's Browns are on the job next season, it looks like a big year for the other clubs.

The chances are that neither is correct, all through; and that the infield will finally consist of about two men from each club.

But it would surprise no one if the team would open in Cleveland next April with Weilman and Hartley in the points, Sisler on first, Pratt covering second, Johnson short and Deal third.

Tobin and Shotton, are sure shots in the outfield with Marsans, Ward Miller and Walker even up. Marsans, of course, will get that berth if he shows signs of returning to his Cincinnati form.

The above revelations, it must be understood, are made entirely aside from our membership in the United Order of Grand Stand Managers.

But if some of the matters mentioned came out as mentioned we wouldn't be surprised. No sirree. Nor at anything else that happened in baseball.

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Is It Lack of Sand?

IT'S very evident, from last week's Municipal A. A. scores, that the American Brakes are slipping.

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As to Golf—

WHY is it that although we tee up at the first hole and tea up at the nineteenth hole, in neither case do

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MURRAY CAPTURES THREE MATCHES IN TENNIS TOURNEY

California Star Defeats Shafer, C. Smith and King Smith in Straight Sets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—R. Lindley Murray, the California star, was three times a winner today in the national indoor tennis championship tournament here. He defeated G. C. Shafer, the Princeton-Columbia veteran; Carlton Y. Smith, Southern champion, and King Smith, recent winner of the regimental title, all in straight sets. Murray had his overhand drives and service going at terrific speed, and his opponents never closely pressed him.

Two reversals went down on the card for the day. Dr. A. Waite, Metropolitan indoor champion, and former Dublin and Edinburgh player, defeated Leonard Beekman, Princeton, 6—4, 6—4. Dr. Waite blocked perfectly at the net. George O. Wagner, Buffalo, outplayed Alfred S. Dabney, Boston, 6—3, 6—3, by the steadiness of his driving game. Rapid progress was made during the day, the original field of 64 players being reduced to 17 survivors.

Summary of important matches:

National indoor championship, singles, first round—Abraham Bassford Jr. defeated Vanderbilt B. Ward, 6—2, 6—2; S. Howard Vossell defeated Harry Seymoure, 6—0, 6—2; Alfred S. Dabney defeated Corey M. Ammerman, 6—4, 6—1; Alrick H. Man Jr. defeated C. P. Clarkson, 6—7, 6—3, 6—4. A. L. Dionne defeated Dr. C. Arquitmbau., 6—0, 6—4. W. Dickinson Cunningham defeated C. A. Brown, 8—6, 1—6, 7—5; King Smith defeated Charles Garland, 3—2, 6—1; Carleton Y. L. Smith defeated P. A. Kalloch, 8—6, 11—9; R. Lindley Murray defeated G. Carlton Shafer, 6—3, 6—3; Dr. A. W. Waite defeated Anton von Bernuth, 6—0, 6—1; Leonard Beekman defeated W. F. Granger, 6—3, 6—3; Dr. A. W. Waite defeated G. H. Stadel, 7—5, 6—1.

Second round—Abraham Bassford Jr. defeated F. M. Lougman, 6—2, 6—1; S. Howard Vossell defeated W. A. Dalton, 6—3, 6—3; Wylie C. Grant defeated Gustava G. Grenz, 6—3, 6—2; George King defeated Count Gaston Salm, 6—2, 6—2; George O. Wagner defeated Alfred H. Dabney, 6—3, 6—3; Alrick H. Man Jr. defeated Dr. William Rosenbaum, 6—3, 6—3. Harry S. Parker defeated G. A. L. Dionne, 12—10, 6—3; King Smith defeated W. Dickson Cunningham, 6—3, 6—4; R. Lindley Murray defeated Carleton Y. Smith, 6—4, 6—1; Arthur S. Dragin defeated Charles C. Chambers, 6—3, 6—4; Dr. A. W. Waite defeated Leonard Beekman, 6—4, 6—2; Watson M. Washburn defeated J. S. O'Neille Jr., 7—2, 6—2.

Third round—R. Lindley Murray defeated King Smith, 6—2, 6—3.

Chandler Heads Syndicate That Purchases Phils

Deal for N. L. Pennant Winners Eliminates Murphy and Taft From Baseball.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—The Philadelphia National League Baseball Club has been sold to Fred T. Chandler, president of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange and vice president of the club, and a syndicate of wealthy bankers, clubmen and former college men, who purchased the holdings of Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati and Charles W. Murphy of Chicago. The deal eliminates Taft and Murphy from baseball and in Haughton's purchase of the Boston Braves it adds several more college men to the roster of ownership.

In the syndicate headed by Mr. Chandler, who it is understood is to be the new president of the club, are Walter Clothier, prominent merchant and clubman; S. P. Huhn and W. S. T. Huhn, widely known bankers. Other prominent financiers of the city helped to arrange the deal and are stockholders, but just who they are could not be learned tonight.

C. B. C. FIVE DEFEATS BARRACKS TEAM, 37—9

The Christian Brothers' College basket ball team decisively defeated the Company 18 quintet of the Jefferson Barracks last night at the college gymnasium, 37—9. McCracken of the college team proved the individual star, scoring 15 points. The line-up:

C. B. C.	Position.	Company 18.
McCracken (15).	L. F.	Plesinger (0)
Quinn (12).	R. G.	Hines (3)
Patterson (6).	C.	Witcher (4)
Murphy (2).	L. G.	Ahlstrom (0)
Dreher-Harr (0).	R. G.	Moravacheck (0)

Referee—McKnight.

PIKERS WIN FIRST CONFERENCE GAME, TRIMMING KANSAS

33-24 Victory Also Is Initial One for Washington Over Jayhawkers in 3 Years.

BERRY AND STOUT STAR

This Pair Scores All but Two of Points for Myrtle and Maroon Easketeers.

Basket Scores

LOCAL.

Washington 33, Kansas 24.
C. B. C. 37, Company 18.
McKinley High 52, Central 20.
Yeatman 53, Soldan 14.
St. Louis U. 44, Illinois College 20.

ELSEWHERE.

At Lafayette, Ind.—Minnesota U. 20, Purdue 16.
At Bloomington, Ind.—Indiana 26, Ohio 17.
At Waco, Tex.—Baylor U. 20, Tulane 19.
At Emporia, Kan.—Kansas Normals 35, Oklahoma U. 30.
At Decatur, Ill.—Milliken U. 24, Bradley Poly 15.
At New York—Penn. U. 25, Columbia 22.
At Hanover, Mass.—Yale 28, Dartmouth 17.
At Champaign—Northwestern 23, Illinois 21.

Washington University's grossly maltreated basket ball team finally turned the tables, last night, and for one time refused to be the "under dog." The Pikeway tossers defeated the Kansas University quint, 33 to 24, in a stirring contest at the Francis gymnasium, and in so doing gave a black eye to the jinx that has persisted in following Washington athletic teams when Kansas is opposed. It was the first victory for a local team over the Jayhawk representatives in three years. Again it was Washington's first conference conquest of the court season after seven straight defeats.

The Pikers were ahead by a nose throughout the entire contest, but it was only in the last six or seven minutes that Coach Frieke's charges staged a real determined attack, and unleashed enough points to cinch the victory. Dick Stout was the real guy in the rally. He anchored about the red and blue net while his coworkers were feeding him the basket, and chicked field goals with great regularity.

The rejuvenited maroon quint looked a hundred per cent better last night than it has at any time this season. The team play showed definition, and the players impressed the spectators with a better acquaintance with the basket. Busick played a better game than he did last night. Of the visitors, Guard Reber seemed to be the only Jayhawk worth special mention.

Locals Greatly Improved.

Coach Hamilton of Kansas is generally known as an advocate of the underhand system of basket throwing. The two-day stay of the Kansas team convinced locals that this is not an efficient style of tossing, because it is too much liable to interruption by the opponents.

Kansas broke the scoring ice at the start of the game, and tallied when Gibbons scored from the foul line. Berry then netted a field goal, and the Pikers were ahead. From then on until the close of the half it was a give-and-take affair, as far as the advantage was concerned, with the locals leading at the first whistle, 12 to 11. It was the splendid play of Capt. Berry that enabled the locals to get to the fore in this half, the diminutive guard tossing three field goals and four free throws.

For over half of the second period the game continued to be a hard-fought affair. However, with the locals leading, 21 to 20, Berry, Stout & Co. forced matters, and soon had colelcted enough points to give Washington its first conference victory of the season.

The lineup:

Wash. (33).	Positions.	Kansas (24).
Stout (14).	Left forward.	Kander (3)
		Patterson (4)
Miller (2).	Right forward.	Gibbons (6)
Busick (0).	Center.	Cole (2)
Berry (17).	Left guard.	Reber (9)
		Appell (0)
Hewitt (0).	Right guard.	Uriab (0)
		Miller (2), Nelson (2)

Referee—Dennis (Brown U.)

CHANEY CREDITED WITH K. O. OVER M. DONNELLY

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—George Chaney of Baltimore defeated Mickey Donelley of Newark, N. J., in what was to have been a six-round bout here tonight. While both were in their corners after the fourth round, Donelley's seconds threw a sponge into the ring, admitting defeat. Chaney, by a heavy attack on Donelley's body, weakened him and the Newark man was in no condition to continue.

Virginia Takes Relay.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12.—The South Atlantic Intercollegiate Athletic Association indoor one-mile relay championship was won tonight by University of Virginia, in 3m. 31 4-5s. Johns Hopkins University won the open competition indoor meet with 22 points. St. Albans of Washington, D. C., was second, with 15 points, and Princeton University was third, with 13 points. There were 500 entries from the East and the South.

Northwestern Runners Beaten.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The annual indoor track meet between the University of Chicago and Northwestern University tonight was won by Chicago, 72 1-2 points to 18 3-8. Chicago won all the firsts except the pole vault, which was a tie.

Yale Fencers Beat Bowdoin.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 12.—Bowdoin lost to the Yale fencing team here tonight by a score of eight bouts to one. Capt. Pfleger of Yale, a young Belgian, who has entered Yale since the war began, and Little starred for Yale, each winning three bouts.

Princeton Mat Men Win.

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 12.—Harvard wrestlers were able to take only one bout in the meet here today. Princeton won by the score of 17—4. Snow threw Brown in the unlimited class in 2m. 8s. for Harvard's only score. Capt. Franz of Princeton secured a fall from Cooke with the Princeton lock. Two of the bouts went to Princeton on decisions after an extra three minutes.

Columbia Wrestlers Lose.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 12.—Yale won six out of the seven matches with Columbia in the annual dual wrestling meet here tonight. The final score on points was Yale 26, Columbia 4. Potter starred for Yale, in the 162-pound class he threw Dillwitz of Columbia after a hard tussle, in the best match of the evening.

Former Champion Sprinter Pulls a Real "Comeback"



Holder of World's Record Achieves Unusual Recovery, After Breakdown at Frisco.

THEY DO come back. The case of former world's champion sprinter, Howard P. Drew, proves it. The colored wonder of the cinder path broke down in Stockholm. He appeared to have suffered another collapse at Frisco last August, when Joe Loomis won the national championship from him.

The knowing trainers of the world counted 10 on his track future, esteeming it almost certain that full recovery from strained tendons was an impossibility.

But Drew himself asserted that he would come back. Thus far he has done it fully, winning in the four events in which he has started in the East. He runs as though his initials stood for "Horse Power Drew."

The great sprinter includes some remarkable performances in his list of recent achievements.

To begin with, he has beaten National Champion Loomis every time they have started, at distances from 70 to 100 yards.

He won all his races, from 40 yards up.

He equalled the world's indoor record for the 100 yards—10 seconds.

He equaled the world's indoor record for 90 yards held by himself—9 1-5 seconds.

He equalled the world's 105 yards indoor record, 10 2-5 seconds.

No better evidence could be asked of a complete come-back than Drew's recent performances.

Billikens Defeat Illinois College by 44-20 Score

St. Louis U. Opens Local Collegiate Season in Very Impressive Style.

The St. Louis University basket ball five auspicuously opened its at-home intercollegiate season yesterday afternoon, by defeating the Illinois College quint of Jacksonville, 44 to 20, at Muegge's gymnasium. Considering that the locals gained but a hollow 34—23 victory on the Illinoisans' court, last Monday night, it seems that the Billikens have profited quite a bit under the steady coaching of Eddie Grogan, who succeeded Keogan.

The locals easily outclassed the visitors yesterday, showing up better at the floor play and accounting themselves creditably at the basket tossing. This, incidentally, should not lead Billiken followers to the belief that their five is a world-beater, because the visitors, in stature, compared to the St. Louis U. tossers as high school players. The Illinois College lads put up a mighty plucky game, and made Grogan's charges uneasy by staging a spirited rally in the waning moments of play.

Hansel, at forward, and Gleeson at guard, were the outstanding stars in yesterday's contest, and it is around these two Billikens that hopes of beating Washington rest. Hansel tallied 18 points, showing an ability to toss field goals from any position. Gleeson in holding his forward to one field goal while he was netting four indicated that the Pikeway tossers will have no easy time with him. "Dutch" Althaus was shipped from his old position at guard to center, where he is plugging up the hole left by Bill Fuerborn.

"Dutch" rolls around in Joern's boots but probably will improve with practice. Donohue at forward and Heins at guard complete the blue and white array, a fairly formidable one.

The locals hopped into the lead from the very start and were at no time pressed. A rough but substantial system of team play was in evidence throughout the contest and as a result the locals had a great number of shots at the net.

There is one trifle little fact about the Billiken play that cropped out yesterday that should be suppressed before the Grant avenue squad clashes up against Washington U. in two weeks. The Billikens are unnecessarily rough and disregard the rules entirely too much.

The lineup:

St. Louis U. (44).	Positions.	Ill. Col. (20).
Hansel (18).	Left forward.	Mule (10)
Donohue (6).	Right forward.	Capps (2)
Althaus (8).	Center.	Gaylard (4)
Heins (6).	Left guard.	Pierce (2)
Gleeson (8).	Right guard.	Smith (0)
Deithelm (4).		Barnes (2)

Referee—Hoche.

Gibbons to Box Jeff Smith.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 12.—Announcement was made here tonight by local promoters that Jeff Smith of New York had accepted terms to meet Mike Gibbons in a 10-round bout here on the night of March 17. The men will make 125 pounds at the ringside.

DAVENPORT HAS NOT SIGNED; NOR HAS EDDIE PLANK

Neither Have the Cardinals Been Sold Despite Disquieting Rumors Which Are Traced to Lloyd Rickart's Door.

RICKEY FAILS TO RELEASE NINE MEN

The Truth Is He Didn't Even Release One Although There Are Twenty of the "Ham and" Variety Still Hanging Around.

By W. J. O'Connor.

If a baseball story ran amuck on the local sport rialto yesterday it didn't leave its spoor around Broadway and Olive. We tracked everything to its lair and the best we got was an occasional inflated rumor that exploded with the first prick of a poignant investigation.

The type-worn tale about the sale of the Cardinals was traced to the home of Lloyd Rickart. We commented him with damaging circumstantial evidence and Lloyd broke down under a merciless third-degree.

"It is true," he finally admitted in faltering voice. "It is a fact. I'll buy the Cardinals at the right price." Proving that Lloyd isn't any different from anybody else, after all. Who wouldn't buy 'em at the right price. (Boy, page Bob Hedges!)

Arsene Lupin at Work.

Leaving Lloyd flat in front of the Post-Dispatch building we took up another clew, acquiring in the meantime a telephone. Things developed as follows:

"Lindell four-six-nine-five, please."

"Hello."

"Mr. Jones, please." (We were desperate enough to be polite.)

"This is him." (It looks bad in print, but how often do you say "he?")

"What's doing today, Fielder?"

"It's snowing."

"Will you be quoted to that effect?"

"I'd rather not. Just use it for your own information."

"I know, but we always like to hang it on somebody."

"Well, if you are going to use it, put it under a date line so I'll be protected."

"Nothing else?"

"Not a damn thing!" (This is verbatim.)

"Have Plank and Davenport signed?"

"No."

"Any chance for a serious disagreement?"

"No."

"Did Rickey release anybody today?"

"No."

"How many players are there yet to be released?"

"You'd better ask Rickey. I've lost track."

"You're not ready to announce the names of the players who will make the training trip, are you?"

"No."

10 Minutes for a New Book.

(There was a delay here, while we sparred for time.)

"Nothing doing, then, eh?"

"Absolutely nothing."

"Alright, see you later."

Bing! He almost busted the receiver.

It was getting late by this time and we decided to play long-shots. Shooting at the moon, as it were. We called up Robison Field and found the ground-keeper in charge of the office. Our heart lept with joy. It looked like a cinch for the run of bad luck because if there's one guy more than all others at Robison Field who is liable to know a news story when it rubs up and shakes hands, it's the ground-keeper.

Persistent conflict with all others has convinced us of that. But, alas, he didn't know nothing. Didn't know when Skip would be back, where Seekamp was or when Kenneth Mooney left. Hadn't heard a thing from Miller Huggins and couldn't quite remember who Scofield was or is. Whereupon we placed the receiver on the hook and called it a day. There "ar'e" no news, gentlemen!

St. Louis has a pretty nifty colony of ballplayers this winter. One could pick a team from the available local talent and give 'em all a scare in the National League. Here's the team: Koney, 1b; Pratt, 2b; O'Mara, ss; Byrne, 3b; Tobin, rf; Carey, cf; Leffler, lf; Thomas or Hartley catchers, and Dale, Jasper or Sisler, pitchers. There would still be such persons as Lefty Hogan, Doug Baird and Des Walsh for utility duty.

Ames Must Be Good!

This man Ames—Leon Kalamity Ames—of the Cardinal staff must be a better pitcher than most persons imagine. Ever so many formidable batters in the National League have included Leon among the "Six Best Pitchers I Have Ever Faced." The latest to name Ames is none other than M. Angelo Donlin, the great actor. He nominates besides Ames: Chris Mathewson, Grover Alexander, James Callahan and George Chalmers. He makes this comment on Ames: "I always figured Red Ames among the greatest pitchers, both while serving with him and against him."

Harry Moran, the young southpaw whose release was bought by the Pirates from the Newark Feds, is considered a great prospect. He is 6 feet 1 inch in height, weighs 190 in condition, and has a zip to his fast one. He's a graduate of Washington and Lee University and has been playing ball only two years. He made his debut with the Buffalo Feds in 1914. Callahan thinks he'll prosper in the National.

Company A Meets Schweitzers

The Company A basket ball five is scheduled to oppose the Swiss National Turnverein team at the Turners' Hall, Iowa avenue and Arsenal street, this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. The Swiss five includes Gus Schweitzer and Jack Schweitzer, brothers, the two well-known Van Dorn brothers, the two Ames boys and Ernst Peters.

As Boxing Goes Today, a Hard Blow Accomplishes Less Than a Blowhard

KABAKOFF-MURPHY FIGHT, TUESDAY, A GUESSING CONTEST

Boxing Fans Unable to Agree on Prospective Winner of Coming Bantam Bout.

MEN HAVE FOUGHT TWICE

Irishman Won by a Knockout in First, but Failed to Repeat Next Time.

By Harry S. Sharpe,

Referee for the Future City Athletic Club and the Post-Dispatch's Boxing Authority.

Speculation is brisk on the outcome of the match between Harry Kabakoff and Jimmy Murphy, which is to be decided at the Future City Athletic Club next Tuesday night. Wagers are being laid at even money, and I know of no reason why that should not be the prevailing figure. These boys are evenly matched. Any advantage which one has is offset by some advantage the other owns.

This will be the third meeting between these two. In the first one, Oct. 12 of last year, Kabakoff was knocked out in the seventh round, but the punch which laid him low came only after he had outboxed his opponent and run up a wide margin of points in his favor in every round up to that time. He came out for the seventh round looking like a certain winner. In this round Kabakoff was a bit slow in stepping from a clinch, and then Murphy crashed a right uppercut to the Hebrew's chin that sent him to the mat for the count of "nine," and when he struggled to his feet after that he was easy to finish.

Second Bout Very Even.

Their second bout took place on Jan. 18, and was even more sensational than their first. The weight agreed upon was the same as in their first match—113 pounds ringside. Kabakoff came in weighing that exactly, while Murphy was 110½. This bout went the limit of eight rounds and was so evenly boxed that in picking a winner there was great difference of opinion. On the day following three of the newspaper writers who had been at the ringside called it a draw, while two gave a shade decision to Kabakoff.

Attention is called to the fact that in this second match, Murphy had improved so much in his boxing over what he had displayed the first time that he was practically able to hold his own with the clever Kabakoff. First one was the better of a round and then the other.

Murphy is thought to be the harder puncher of the two but, short of a knockout, he has scored no cleaner knockdown punch than Kabakoff displayed in the fourth round of their last bout. To even matters, however, Murphy came through with a punch in the last round that put Kabakoff down and obliged him to take the count. These two knockdowns, one to the credit of each, that appears to have caused most of the discussion in trying to arrive at a conclusion.

It is pointed out that when Murphy got to his feet he refrained from clinching and protected himself successfully by covering with his gloves, demonstrating that he was cognizant of what he was doing and what was happening and that Kabakoff, though free to hit, was unable to do any further damage.

Varying Views of Final Round.

Coming to the last round, it appears that when Kabakoff regained his feet after being knocked down he immediately clinched and held on, thus depriving Murphy of a chance to hit or to quickly follow up the advantage he had gained.

The writer did not see the bout, so must depend upon what was told him afterwards; but care has been exercised to get the views of many who were there, and it is found that there is a great divergence of opinion respecting the length of time before the ending of the round that Kabakoff was put down. Some state that the round was about half over, others that there was a full minute to go, while one estimated that he was holding a stop watch on the rounds, and that there remained but 15 seconds. The difference is just this: But a very short time remained before the expiration of the round, then the real damage done by Murphy's punch cannot be accurately estimated, and Kabakoff may have positively saved himself by hanging on to the end.

However, that punch was landed somewhere about the middle of the round, then it follows that the damage it did could not have been so great, because Kabakoff was able, by clinching and otherwise, to care for himself and prevent a follow-up punch like the one that had put him out in his first match with Murphy.

Another thing to be remembered is that when Kabakoff clinched he should have been obliged to let go at once, and this may have been done. If it was, then the matter of whether that knockdown came just before the ending of the round or about the middle of it becomes very material in determining the damaging effects of Murphy's punch.

If so, it could be determined that Kabakoff saved himself from a knockout by hanging on, he should have been declared the loser; if his hanging on merely contributed to place Murphy at a disadvantage, he should have been penalized, and this may have not quite offset any advantage gained by him in previous rounds.

Bout Should Be Close.

The battle will be fought all over again Tuesday night. So far, honors are even. True, Murphy has a knockout to his credit, and there can be no more decisive victory than that; but for six rounds before that happened the brilliant boxing of Kabakoff had made Murphy's chances of winning look like a lost cause. Then came that uppercut to the chin that made Murphy a winner. It was not an accident, but it was a particularly fortunate connection of a well-timed punch. It won, but praise for the winner was mingled with sympathy for the loser.

Murphy is of mature age, and fighting with the strength of a man; Kabakoff is a youth of 17, and there are many who believe that he is being hurried along beyond his age and strength. However, in the past year there has been a substantial gain in his physical development. On March 18, 1915, as an amateur, he boxed Charles Johnston at 108 pounds. Sept. 7, 1915, as a professional, he won from "Happy" Howard at 112 pounds. One month later he boxed Jimmy Murphy at 113 pounds ringside. Three months later he boxed Murphy a second time, and again the weight was 113 pounds ringside. When making the match, which takes place next Tuesday night, however, he insisted upon 115 pounds ringside.

Contrary to the increase noted in Kabakoff's weight, Murphy's has decreased. About a year ago he was boxing boys like Archie McLeod, Leo Schneider and "Battling" Smith at 116 pounds, and when he made 112 for one of his bouts it was said to have perceptibly weakened him. Yet, when he boxed Kabakoff last month his exact weight was 110½. That Murphy has confidence in his strength and endurance, however, was made evident when he agreed to meet Kabakoff this time at 115 pounds ringside—two pounds more than in their previous matches.

Kabakoff is faster and a more scientific boxer; he is a better blocker, and his judgment of distance is better; he snaps his blows in with tantalizing effect, and they carry a sting.

Murphy is a capable boxer of considerable speed, and is a fighter; his straight punches are delivered with a thump, and his uppercuts and hooks jolt; he is a good in-fighter and is always dangerous at close range; he is able to assimilate punishment and is cool under fire.

Though Murphy has had more experience than Kabakoff has, the latter has had enough to make it reasonably certain that he can exercise proper care and judgment. The lesson he learned the first time he met Murphy was a valuable experience.

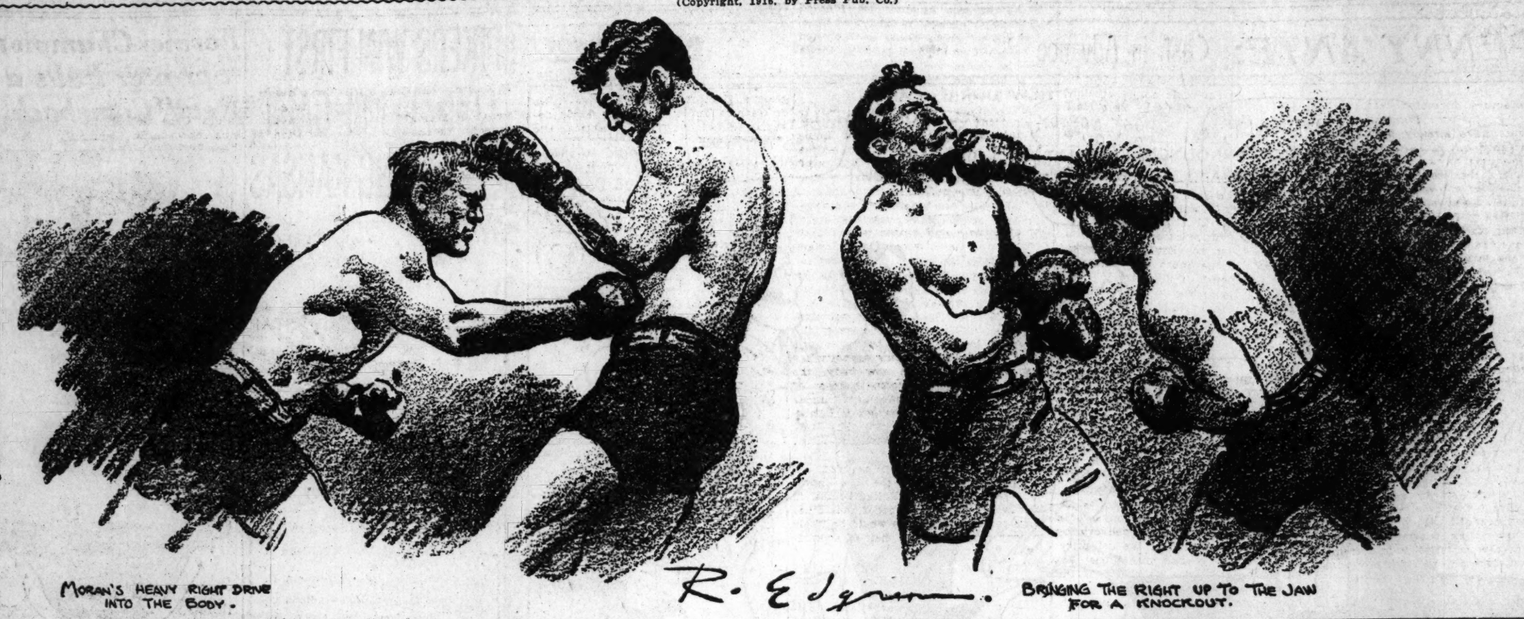
Chip Brothers Both Win.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—George Chip of Newcastle, Pa., former middleweight champion, knocked out Frank Notter of New York in the fourth round of a 10-round match in Brooklyn tonight. Chip weighed 156 pounds and Notter 144. Joe Chip, brother of the former champion, outfought "Kid" Alberts of Elizabeth, N. J., in a 10-round match in Brooklyn. He knocked his opponent down three times. Chip weighed 153 and Alberts 154.

HOW TO BEAT WILLARD: Blows Moran Will Use in Coming Bout

By Edgren

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MORAN'S HEAVY RIGHT DRIVE INTO THE BODY.

BRINGING THE RIGHT UP TO THE JAW FOR A KNOCKOUT.

'Safety First' May Ruin $70,000 Bout; It's Up to Frank Moran to Make It Go

Willard Has So Much Dependent on His Survival That He's Sure to Play Everything Safe—Pittsburg Fighter Has Chance of His Life, if He Scores Knockout.

By John E. Wray.

THAT Jess Willard does not seriously fear the outcome of his 10-round encounter with Frank Moran is evidenced by the fact that he consented to fight him on March 8, a date that will allow him but one month or less in which to get into shape to defend himself adequately.

"Defend himself" is right, Bo! For that is about all Jess will have to do to drag down that $47,500 which goes to him win, lose or draw, and at the same time save him that open sesame to fortune—the championship title.

The conditions of the contest—10 rounds, no decision—make it certain that nothing short of a miracle can sever Jess from his laurels.

With this state of affairs staring our hero in the face, with but one month in which to shake himself loose from about 20 pounds of flesh—he now weighs 280, reports say—and with a $150,000 (see press agents) circus contract dependent on his survival, can you conjure up a picture of the battle Jess is going to put up?

"SAFETY FIRST," BO.

That will be the Willard slogan, if self-interest influences him.

Moran Is Dangerous.

HOWEVER, there will be two men in that ring, March 8. Besides Willard, there will be a 203-pounder, who owns a knockout punch and an iceberg disposition; who, not long since, knocked loose from his understanding a fighter who had been figured Jess Willard's most dangerous rival—Jim Coffey, and a heavyweight of proven gameness and endurance.

Moran's will be the task to make it a fight. Can he do it?

Accounts of his battles indicate he is a slow, deliberate workman, not very aggressive, preferring to wait for the other man coming to him rather than to carry the milling to him.

However, working against a truck horse of the Willard type a Moran may appear fast. In fact, **if he is to gain anything from his chance, other than the $22,500 offered him by the promoters, he will have to FORCE his way through that seemingly impregnable defense of Willard's and fight his way to the jaw and body.**

If Moran does not make this attempt, it will be the cheese championship fight of the world. Only those who have seen in conflict two slow leviathans, neither one willing to set the pace and both playing safety first, will be able to appreciate what an awful looking thing a heavyweight contest can be.

Size Handicap Favors Jess.

IT being the great opportunity of Moran's career, it is almost certain that he will go after Willard to the best of his ability—which will make it a FIGHT. How much of a one will depend entirely on the use Willard can make of his 6-inch advantage in heft, 5½ inches in reach and 50 pounds or more of bulk. One would think that all Willard need do to keep an unclever man like Moran at bay, would be to lean forward and extend his left arm.

Tommy Ryan taught Jeffries this system and made him win a championship with it. It does not seem possible that Moran could effectively get past this Gibraltar, if Jess hid behind it for 10 rounds.

The unexpected would happen if Willard should develop fighting tendencies and open up from the start with the intention of stopping Moran.

Jess declares he will knock out Moran before the ninth round.

But such utterances are for box office purposes only and do not HAVE to be made good in the ring. The chances are Willard will do exactly what his advisers tell him to do—and that will be, "Play it safe, old top!"

From all we hear the New York publicity grind will be made to work overtime. Reams of fight "copy" will be sent out gratis, and much of it will be published around the country without proper censorship.

The "bull" factories will have to work overtime to titillate the public appetite for this affair, which will cost the promoters $120,000 to stage and the spectators $3 to $50 a look.

One Born a Minute.

IF the seeker after excitement wants to see a spectacle, the show will be worth the prices charged, irrespective of how the fighters perform. They will be given an opportunity to gaze upon a man who is paid $1583 per minute for his work—**a rate of remuneration which, if it extended over only one full 10-hour day would reach the astounding total of $949,800.**

He will be spellbound to note the number of persons present, all willing to give up as high as $50 to witness a bout that, in point of scientific excellence, would be outclassed by most of the semi-windups to be seen in the Metropolitan clubs.

No doubt there will be a packed hall and men outside the doors grieving for want of an opportunity to give up their money.

This fact will be a tribute not to the interest in fighters but to publicity, the "big money" glamour surrounding the mill, the daring of the promoters and the spectacle-loving nature of the American disposition.

Far be it from anyone to knock the promoters. They have taken a big chance, have given up the money and are concealing nothing, not even the prices to be charged, from the victims.

One's only sentiment is wonder that such a thing can be put over in a community with so many ordinarily sensible, sane business people.

"I'll Have to Force the Fighting, Willard Will Take No Risks"—Moran

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.

FRANK MORAN will suffer from no lack of confidence in his coming meeting with Jess Willard. "Nobody is happier than I am that the match has been arranged," he said today. "I am not suffering from any overconfidence in my own ability when I say that I believe I will beat Willard inside of 10 rounds.

"Willard is the champion, and as such he is receiving the big end of the purse; but for this very reason it is improbable that he will take any chances, and he was never an aggressive fighter.

"I will be the man who is doing the forcing and making the fight. The betting odds should, of course, be very much against me. If they are, the short end looks to me like a better investment than some that I have recently seen made in Wall street."

Old Man Dope Does Not Pick Browns for Flag

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Survival of the Fittest.

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Thus, only about one-fourth of the Feds' forces appear to have been of major league caliber.

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And of those outlaws who made good, a very, very few were developed in the Fed League.

The most conspicuous case of a player being "made" by the Feds is that of Bennie Kauff; next to him may be mentioned Johnny Tobin, who was a lot player, before he went to work for Miner Brown and Jones.

Among the others who profited in a playing sense by the rise of outlawry may be mentioned Hartley, Davenport, Schulz, Anderson and a very few others.

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Peoria Accepts Tinker's Plan for Organizing Club of Cub Cast - Offs

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 12.—A deal whereby Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago club of the National League, will become interested in the Peoria club of the Three-I League, will be completed here Monday night, when Tinker will meet officials of the local club, it was announced today.

Tentative plans provide that Tinker is to furnish players and a manager and share on per cent basis in financial responsibility after the institution of the playing season. A $2400 deficit is being taken care of by the organization of a stock company. Tinker has promised to give the Peoria club a string of young players, two or three seasoned veterans and a competent manager.

St. Leos Tackle Ben Millers in Soccer Feature

Defeat for Hatters and Victory for Innisfails Will Tie Them for Lead.

Two teams may be tied for first place in the St. Louis Soccer League race following the double attraction today at Robison Field. In the curtain-raiser, the Innisfails are down to tackle the Naval Reserves, while the second and feature battle will be between the Ben Millers and St. Leos.

At present, the Millers are leading the procession by two points, but they will have to travel their fastest to be returned winners over the Leos in today's battle. "Bull" Brannigan will have his full team in the field all bent on handing the Hatters a drubbing. Ratican also will have his full strength in the lineup.

Willie Foley's Innisfails have been traveling at a fast clip for the past few weeks, and are picked to gain a victory over the Navals, who have slowed down since the holidays. A victory for the Irishmen and a reverse for the Millers will put the two teams on even terms.

The last time these teams met, both games ended in 1–1 verdicts. Paul McSweeney will be on hand to run the two shows today, the first one starting at 2 o'clock.

Mays, Red Sox Pitcher, Denies That He Tried to "Bean" T. Raymond Cobb

Carl Mays, pitcher of the Boston Red Sox, who it was said last summer threw four balls at Ty Cobb, champion batter of the American League, in a series between the world's champions and the Tigers, in a letter to the Post-Dispatch says there is no truth in the report that he admitted that he had done this. Cobb at the time became incensed and threw his bat at the flinger. In part Mays' letter follows:

"I never, to any sporting writer, friend or stranger, said that I tried to 'bean' Cobb, and it is all untrue."

Mays says the story stating that he had admitted the charge started in Los Angeles, where he has not been for four years.

The Red Sox twirler at present is in Tulsa, Ok., from where he expects to leave in a few days for Hot Springs, Ark., to start preliminary work before Carrigan's gang starts spring training.

3-CUSHION STARS WILL NOT BOTHER CHAMPION DE ORO

Only Men Able to Extend Him Have Retired or Are Working in "Academies."

Alfredo De Oro, the Cuban three-cushion champion, who right now has the softest snap defending a title, barring anyone but Willie Hoppe, who stands supreme in the balkline world, believes in making "hay while the sun shines." De Oro right now is finding easier pickings than at any time since he has been connected with the green cloth game. And there's a reason.

Right now the only cueists apt to challenge for the angle crown are those playing in the Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard League, and the closest followers of the sport admit that the Cuban can beat all of them.

For that reason he is taking them on as quickly as possible. No sooner had he beaten Kieckhefer, when he took on Lloyd Jevne. De Oro's next match will be the latter part of this month, when Jevne, Welker De Oro, being trounced 150 to 93. But then De Oro set several records in that match.

No Opposition for De Oro.

But the really good three-cushion players are not going to challenge De Oro, so he just amuses himself picking up a little easy money as fast as a new rival can be found.

The real stars of the angle game at present are playing in the academy games at Eddie Graney's parlors in Frisco, and what's more they're cleaning up.

At the present time, there are four ex-champions playing at Graney's. They are John Horgan of St. Louis, who lost the championship to De Oro; John Daly of New York, Joe Carney, the coast star and Tommy Hueston.

Horgan in a letter to Frank Benson states that the game is still booming and that he is averaging close to $30 a day for his efforts. The same goes for the other players. Daly, last year, passed up a chance to challenge for the championship, after he had been beaten in the tourney held in Chicago by hiking to the far West.

It's a cinch that with these cueists hauling down around 30 good old iron men a day with no worry about where the next three squares will come from and no title at stake none of them will be in a hurry to challenge De Oro for a match for the crown. So for the first time in his life the Cuban has things pretty well his own way.

Besides the Interstate Leaguers, the only players, who are liable to challenge for the title are George Moore, of New York, and Lloyd Jevne of Denver. Jevne was beaten by De Oro, while Moore has not been heard from since he lost to William Huey of Chicago.

William (Fighting Bill) Huey, who sprang a surprise in the Chicago tournament last fall, and who turned the trophy back to the donors after beating Moore saying he did not have the time to spare to defend his honors, is still busy at the angle game. Huey at present is playing in several Windy City tournaments.

Inman Beaten at English Style.

Word has just reached this country that Melbourne Inman, the English billiard champion, has been beaten in a scratch match for the first time since he won the crown in 1911. Henry W. Stevenson had the honor of lowering Inman's colors, in a match in London, last month, 18,000 to 17,714. Part of the comment on the game follows:

"For the first time since 1911, when he became champion of English billiards, Melbourne Inman has lost a match on even terms. The player who defeated him was Henry W. Stevenson. In a game of 18,000 points Stevenson led by 89 points.

"In the match Stevenson made a run of 954, the highest ever made with ivory balls by 'allround play' under Billiards Control Club rules. The final night he made a break of 410. These two feats decided the contest. Inman made a game finish, but was unable to overcome the winner's advantage."

Inman last year played exhibitions at Peterson's in this city, when he was on a tour of the country with Willie Hoppe.

SPORT SALAD



By L. C. Davis

Reciprocity.

WHEN Homer smote his bloomin' lyre,
Beyond the shadow of a doubt,
Such items as he might require
He took his shears and clipped 'em out.

And other smiters of the lyre.
When things were breaking kind o' tough,
Would write a line: "By special wire,"
And put it over Homer's stuff.

They knew he stole, he knew they knew,
And passed the matter up, of course;
For, there was nothing else to do—
'Twas just a case of horse-and-horse.

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Nutty Stuff.

A SQUAD of police will be detailed to see that the squirrels do not break out of Central Park on the night of the Willard-Moran fight. The "one-a-minute" boys must be protected.

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The fight should be worth going miles to see. If everything was as it should be, what a clever little world this would be.

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Keeping His Word.

BINKS: Who is that man who just bought the $25 seat to the Willard-Moran fight?

JINKS: He's the guy who said he wouldn't give two bits to see the best fight in the world.

BINKS: Well, he didn't and he won't.

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Bone of Contention.

DAVY FULTZ, in reply to President Tener's suggestion that if a player is appointed to a place on the National Commission he should be a nonmember of the Players' Fraternity, says:

"How could a player, who does not represent anything but players in the abstract, hope to cope with the other members of the commission, all of whom would represent established organizations with both money and prestige?"

To which a gifted contemporary replies: "Quite right, Davy; your selection should represent the players in the concrete." Whaddaya mean, concrete?

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Every Move a Picture!

Wonder how they are going to split the rights to the moving pictures of the Rice Memorial Chess Masters' tournament?

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Rube Marquard announces that he is going to give everyone a surprise this year. What are you going to do, Rube, pitch a full nine inning game? Or maybe you intend to get a few of 'em past the batter, eh, what?

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At that there are worse pitchers than Rube Marquard. Wonder what he will be done with Walter Leverenz this year?

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Among the sounds never heard on the diamond might be mentioned: "Kavanaugh batting for Cobb!"

A Novel.

Charles Webb Murphy, now being a "free agent," is going to write a series of articles telling just how it happened. The story will be in the nature of a "confession" in which the volatile ex-toreador will tell how he ran a shoestring into a leather trust, and why "Three Fingered" Brown was decapitated in the flower of his youth. The narrative will be replete with words.

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Today's Best Headline.

"Yankees Are Still After Frank Baker."

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Notes of No Interest to Nobody.

The natives of Central Africa do not wear spats during lent.

The best wine, as many suppose does not come from France. It stays there.

Peter Stuyvesant was the first one-legged Governor of New York.

It is against the law to catch Spanish mackerel weighing under eight ounces in the State of Wisconsin.

There is no premium on a pair of earmuffs of 1887.

The rule allowing the batter to take his base on seven balls was changed the year following the big wind in Ireland.

The Sandwich Islands were named after the Earl of Sandwich and not on account of the sand-which-is-there, as is generally supposed.

POOR SCORES ARE ROLLED IN SOUTH SIDE TOURNAMENT

Wellston's No. 1 With Total of 2782 Are High in Handicap Ten Pin Lvent.

Poor scores marked the second day's rolling in the South Side handicap bowling tournament on the Werder-Hughes alleys last night. The eWllstons No. 1 with a total of 2782, including handicap, were high.

AMERICAN BRAKES.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
E. Dougherty	168	138	131	437
R. Aurien	146	166	136	448
E. Steffen	184	160	157	501
Jones	150	153	147	450
A. Harrington	173	142	136	451
Total	821	759	707	2287
Handicap	99	99	99	297
Grand total	920	858	806	2584

EFFICIENCY PRODUCTS.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
F. Schaefer	167	154	188	509
M. Diebling	145	182	188	415
E. Vogel	149	113	133	395
C. Street	153	154	145	452
F. Obenhaus	205	129	139	473
Total	817	682	743	2242
Handicap	82	82	82	246
Grand total	899	764	825	2488

KRUEGER'S KIDS.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
H. Farber	153	106	144	403
G. Ahrens	184	180	172	536
M. Schmitt	158	183	177	518
H. Reuter	145	177	138	460
W. Krueger	126	160	147	433
Total	766	806	778	2350
Handicap	63	63	63	189
Grand total	859	869	841	2569

IMPERIALS.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
C. Corcoran	131	119	171	421
G. Illsley	158	150	183	491
J. Hickman	129	167	118	414
W. Hartman Jr.	145	126	161	432
F. Barry	144	167	168	469
Total	671	787	756	2166
Handicap	80	80	80	240
Grand total	751	817	836	2406

ILLINOIS CENTRALS.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
Holtschan	153	167	150	460
Meehan	167	148	130	445
Brown	167	179	155	501
Brimmer	120	155	119	394
Lortz	134	175	157	466
Total	741	814	727	2282
Handicap	98	98	98	294
Grand total	839	912	825	2576

RAPHAEL (R. A.)

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
Fleischman	167	103	185	455
Bierman	160	148	97	405
Weenick	94	125	93	313
Frelich	153	155	128	416
Cohen	162	140	127	429
Total	717	681	630	2018
Handicap	142	142	142	426
Grand total	859	823	762	2444

WELLSTON NO. 1.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
C. A. Cole	175	141	186	512
C. Graff	181	160	201	541
H. Richardson	140	153	204	491
J. Flora	196	170	215	581
R. Meinhardt	183	172	182	537
Total	875	784	998	2662
Handicap	40	40	40	120
Grand total	915	824	1038	2782

WELLSTON NO. 2.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
L. Fuerst	133	134	137	444
N. Bowman	201	179	150	530
F. Thielen	154	133	222	509
T. Cole	162	172	143	477
W. Kennedy	158	185	202	545
Total	809	803	853	2555
Handicap	66	66	66	198
Grand total	875	929	949	2753

ALPEN BRAUS (W. & H.)

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
H. Linnewirth	136	145	170	451
H. Meyer	127	205	132	464
H. Becker	177	177	167	519
J. Becker	135	130	138	403
B. Linnewirth	181	157	196	534
Total	751	818	803	2372
Handicap	91	91	91	273
Grand total	802	909	894	2645

CONCORDIA NO. 2.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
J. Helle	150	159	145	484
Frosehly	195	122	155	472
W. Sherman	151	149	123	423
T. Feydt	157	126	137	420
M. Lorenssen	157	121	137	415
C. Steinbrueck	176	177	144	497
Total	826	723	684	2236
Handicap	123	123	123	369
Grand total	949	846	807	2605

SALINE A. C.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
W. Ahrens	129	146	128	403
C. Diehl	136	150	131	426
J. Denker	145	129	180	454
J. Wasser	138	140	188	466
A. Sharpe	148	147	163	458
Total	691	712	792	2205
Handicap	133	133	133	399
Grand total	824	905	872	2001

SUBMARINES.

	1.	2.	3.	T'l.
H. Kroll	153	153	229	535
R. Olsen	150	170	126	446
J. Weber	151	159	150	460
T. Siegrist	116	145	116	377
H. Alliger	145	127	167	439
Total	687	749	787	2188
Handicap	125	125	125	375
Grand total	812	844	907	2563

THREE SCHOOLS IN RACE FOR VALLEY BASKET BALL TITLE

Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas Aggies Still Have Chance to Win.

ARCHIE KLEIN THROUGH

St. Louis Boy Quits Missouri to Go to Work, Following His Father's Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 12.—Four teams are hopelessly out of the running in the Missouri Valley basket ball race—namely, Washington U., Drake, Ames and Kansas U. The flag will probably go to Nebraska, the Kansas Aggies or Missouri, with the latter owning as good a claim on the title as any of its rivals.

Washington U. started its season with losses to the university's freshman team and to a St. Louis high school. It was made up practically of the same men as last year, with the exception of the loss of Modisette, star center and basket thrower. So dope was against the Pikers from the first and did not go wrong. Missouri, Kansas and the Kansas Aggies whipped them badly two games each.

Drake never has been a flag contender and little was expected of its team.

Ames' Downfall a Shock.

Ames' poor showing was a surprise to the dopesters, as the Cyclones were counted on to provide the stumbling block to all enemies' aspirations. Instead, they have lost all games played except one, that with Kansas. This victory for the Jayhawkers and the two over the Pikers constitute the only wins of the Kansas five.

So Missouri, Kansas Aggies and Nebraska will fight it out. There is a feeling that Nebraska does not deserve to be first place at this time, the reason being that the Cornhusker floor, where all its games have been played to date, is small and antiquated, upon which visitors are greatly handicapped.

If Nebraska wins the championship of the northern section, which is bound to be the case, and yet cannot claim the Conference championship because of lack of comparative scores with the southern section winners, a post-season series will have to be held.

Klein Quits School.

Three athletes, however, were lost to Missouri this month. Archie Klein, the St. Louis boy who played quarterback for the varsity a good part of last season, has left school to work, following the recent death of his father. Klein will be missed next fall, because of his great experience at his position. It is not unlikely that he would have made regular quarterback, although he would have had three scrapping men to beat out.

Kenneth Shepard, a sophomore, "sub" on the football and basket ball teams, left school to work in Chicago. He may be back next semester and his services can be well used. He is the brother of Paul Shepard, who was All-Missouri Valley fullback for two years. Failing to make the required number of hours credit in his studies will prevent Walter Newell from competing this spring on the Tiger tennis team, although he will remain in school. Newell is the best tennis player in the university and his playing this year, his first for the varsity, was expected to aid in bringing another title to the State University.

The track squad which works out daily in the Rollins gym, now numbers about 25. This includes most of the athletes who have a show of making points for the varsity in meets, but two or three laggards have yet to report and the numbers in general are smaller than they were last year.

Schulte delights in having an abundance of material on hand, from which there is always a possibility of selecting "finds."

Niedorp, quarter-miler and relay man, who was out of school the first term of this year, finally came back to the University after a year's absence and his friends considerable worry on this point.

He will help round out a track team that is expected to be the best Missou has had since the days of Nicholson, Thatcher, Kirksey and company, when the Western Conference championship was taken from Illinois and Chicago.

The temporary collapse of the proposed high school basket ball tournament of State teams for the State championship, to be managed by C. J. Brewer this week, the plans had been drawn up before Christmas by the athletic department, but failed to get the approval of the committee on athletic relations with high schools, and this season did not become.

The main reason for the scheme not going through was that the final examinations would have had to be made too late in the season. If the plan had been approved before Christmas or last year, all arrangements could have been made before the high schools had started their season or they made schedules.

As it was, when it came to selecting a date for the tournament to play off the sectional finals, one could not be agreed upon. March 18 and 19 was the date agreed by the athletic department, but this was too late for most of the high schools, who would have abandoned their teams by that time. Again, it was found that sectional championships could not be decided this year, and schedules in general conflicted.

It is now proposed to arrange the league and draw up all necessary arrangements at the high school day track meet at Rollins, to be held next May. If this can be done, and there seems no reason why it should not be, the schedule of all State high schools next year will have room for sectional and intersectional games for a State championship.

PETER THE GREAT SOLD FOR A RECORD PRICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Peter the Great, 2:07¼, the world's most noted trotting stallion and speed sire, has been sold by W. D. Stoaker of this city to Stoughton Fletcher, an Indianapolis banker and trotting horseman, for $50,000. The stallion is now 21 years old, and the price paid for him, therefore, is a world's record for any horse of his age.

At the old Glory sale of 1903, when 9 years old, Peter the Great was sold to Mr. Stoaker for $5000. Up to then he was the sire of only Sadie Mac, 2:11¼, then only a 3-year-old, and the price was considered high.

During the past five years his rise as a producer has been phenomenal. He is the sire of no less than 40 in the 2:10 list, 9 trotters and five pacers, while the total number of standard performers to his credit is 231.

THREE MAJOR LEAGUERS START SPRING TRAINING

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 12.—The vanguard of the major league baseball players who will get into condition here to begin training for the 1916 season arrived today in the persons of Grover Cleveland Alexander, the Philadelphia Nationals' pitcher; Cy Mays of the Boston Americans' twirling staff and Clyde Milan, the Washington Americans' outfielder. Walter Johnson, Washington pitcher, is expected next week.

Alexander will remain here until the rest of the major league baseball players arrive, when he will join his teammates at St. Petersburg, Fla., where he will train. He declared he already was in fine condition.

Yale Trims Dartmouth.

HANOVER, N. H., Feb. 12.—Yale defeated Dartmouth in a game in the intercollegiate basket ball series tonight, 23 to 11.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

GARDNER TO MAKE BODIES HERE FOR CHEVROLET AUTOS

He Receives $4,000,000 Order During Visit of Motors Company President.

Russell E. Gardner, president of the St. Louis company for the distribution of Chevrolet automobiles, told a Post-Dispatch reporter last week that in addition to assembling $5,000,000 worth of automobiles in his plant at Second and Rutger street during the next year, he had obtained a contract for the manufacture of 200,000 bodies for distribution among the other Chevrolet plants throughout the country. The bodies will cost approximately $20 each, and the total amount of the order in round numbers will be $4,000,000. At present all the autos distributed by Gardner's company are shipped to him in parts and assembled in his plant here.

Gardner said he was trying to induce William C. Durant and others associated with him in the Chevrolet Motor Co. and the General Motors Co. to establish many plants for the manufacture of different automobile parts in St Louis. Durant spent Wednesday here in conference with Gardner, discussing plans for the expansion of the business in St. Louis.

The business of the Chevrolet and General Motors companies within a year will require a vast amount of automobile parts, and Gardner said that these parts could be manufactured in St. Louis as well as in any of the Eastern cities.

Makes of Autos Controlled.

The General Motors Co., which is owned by the Chevrolet Co., controls the manufacture of the Buick, Cadillac, Oakland and Oldsmobile cars, and has a capital of $36,000,000.

Through his connection with the Chevrolet Co. Gardner said he hoped to be able to make St. Louis one of the most important automobile manufacturing and distributing cities in the United States. Gardner and Durant have been close personal friends for many years, Durant having started as Gardner did as a manufacturer of buggies. Through his connection with the General Motors Co. and the Chevrolet Co. Durant is credited with having made a fortune of many millions during the last six years.

Gardner said plans had not been matured for the manufacture of automobile parts in St. Louis, but that if he should succeed in getting Durant and his associates interested in St. Louis, to the extent of his expectations, important results, requiring additional large sums of capital and labor, might be expected. He said that every car which his plant could possibly produce during the year already had been sold, and that the business of the local company would be increased from year to year.

The engines for the Chevrolet auto, assembled and distributed from St. Louis, Dallas, Portland and other points, are manufactured in Flint, Mich., where Durant started in the automobile business by founding the Buick company. There are large plants for the manufacture of other parts in several other cities.

BUICK SERVICE STATION

An announcement interesting to owners of Buick cars in St. Louis has just been made by H. G. Hurd, retail distributor of Buicks in St. Louis, to the effect that as soon as certain interior alterations can be made on the building at 3952-54 Olive street the Buick service station and shop for city owners will be moved to that address. It is expected that Feb. 21 will be the date of the change.

Mr. Hurd has for some time been looking for a ground floor shop for the general convenience and safety of his customers and it is thought that his new location, which is central to all parts of the city, will be ideal.

There will be no change in the location of the salesroom, which is located at 3205 Locust street.

NEW BODY PLANT HERE

Owing to the increased output of Moon automobiles within the last year, the Moon company succeeded in bringing one of the largest body manufacturers in the country to St. Louis.

They have induced Mr. Craig to come here from the East and take charge of the Collins Body Co., now one of the largest body companies in the country.

Not only are they making Moon bodies, but they have succeeded in taking a great quantity of business from the Detroit manufacturers.

At the Chicago automobile show Moon bodies proved a big sensation. In fact, through this exhibit the Collins company succeeded in closing a contract with one of the largest Detroit manufacturers to supply them with bodies for the coming season.

TO HANDLE NEW TRAILER

The Shattuck convertible outing trailer is to be sold in St. Louis, the entire State of Missouri and the southern part of Illinois by the Ebbeler Motor Car Co., 2936-48 Olive street. The trailer can be used for commercial purposes and for sportsmen it can be used for tenting and general transportation purposes. The design is novel and practical.

ACCESSORY MEN MEET

The monthly meeting of the Motor Accessory Trade Association will be held at the Marquette Hotel Wednesday night. Chairman Force of the entertainment committee says his committee has prepared a serious program which will interest the entire membership.

BUICK ANNOUNCES ADVANCE IN PRICE

The downward tendency of motor car prices has been checked, due to the increases in prices of raw material of practically every kind that enters into the manufacture of motor cars, and prices are gradually advancing. Announcements have already been made of the advance on Packard, Chalmers and others, and today comes the public announcement that the Buick Motor Co. has made an increase of $35 in the price of their light six models. The roadster, D6-44, will sell at $985, and the light touring car model at $1020 f. o. b. cars factory. It is rumored that several other of the large companies are preparing advanced prices, but are not quite ready to make announcements.

"Not only are the prices of steel, aluminum, copper, brass and leather constantly going up," said F. W. A. Vesper, president of the Vesper-Buick Auto Co., "but it has become more and more difficult to secure such material, not only because of the scarcity of material, but because of the congestion of freight equipment that is now making it extremely hard to move the material after it has been purchased. The material centers are confronted with enormous orders from war munition factories, together with the demands from motor car manufacturers and others to such an extent that in most cases they are refusing additional contracts, and even though at an enormous advance in price of raw material, it is extremely hard to place an order for any additional supply beyond that contracted for.

"The new price of $1020 for the light Buick six is in actuality not an advance in price, in view of the fact that it has been sufficiently improved to more than offset the advance. It will be equipped with a number of refinements. It will have crown fenders, and will carry 34x4-inch wheels and tires instead of 32x4-inch, as original on this series. These prices and models will run through the entire 1916 season, and inasmuch as the volume at the factory has increased enormously, there is no prospect of any additional advance for this year.

"The freight car situation for finished cars is extremely serious, as in many cases factories have been forced to curtail their production because adequate freight equipment could not be obtained to move the cars after they were manufactured."

SMITH ANNOUNCES CHALMERS ON CREDIT

A wire to the Park Automobile Co., of St. Louis, from Paul Smith, vice president of the Chalmers selling division, indicates the entire success of the four Chalmers sales conventions which are being held in the South and Southwest during the month of February.

"Dealers are enthusiastic over the new Chalmers finance plan, which permits the sale of cars on time with only the banking rate of interest," was the substance of Mr. Smith's first wire sent in from Kansas City. "We are packing the big convention hall for two sessions a day, and the dealers state that the new plan will boost sales 50 per cent."

The new plan referred to by Vice President Smith, was announced at the Chicago Automobile Show, following the decision of the Agricultural Credit Co., one of the biggest credit concerns in the country, to buy $5,000,000 worth of customers' notes from Chalmers dealers. Under the arrangement the buyer of a car can secure immediate delivery by payment of a portion of the list price. He is required to pay only 6 per cent interest on the notes he gives for the balance, as compared with the much higher interest previously charged in plans of this kind.

Vice President Smith's trip through the South is for the purpose of introducing the plan to Chalmers' dealers and offering the co-operation of the company in putting the plan into effect. Dealers' conventions presided over by Mr. Smith, will be held as follows: Kansas City, Feb. 8 and 9; Dallas, Feb. 11 and 12; Memphis, Feb. 15 and 16; Atlanta, Feb. 18 and 19. Close to 300 dealers attended the Kansas City convention and this number will probably be exceeded at the next three meetings.

The Park Automobile Co. has opened a Chalmers salesroom at 2304 Locust street.

NEW DORRIS CAR IS REVELATION IN STYLE

Motor car enthusiasts in St. Louis have been given an opportunity by the Dorris Motor Car Co. to say what kind of a car they wanted and a new six-cylinder Dorris car has been designed to meet their aggregated views. A criticism blank was issued to a large number of owners and prospects and their composite opinions were used in designing the new Dorris car. This latest car has not been publically shown in St. Louis, but made its first appearance during the Chicago show.

The standard Dorris chassis has been retained, with some refinements, the principle feature being the new and novel body design. Seating capacity has been improved in the new body, the folding seats leaving room in front of them for the legs of passengers under the front seat. The new car is lighter by 150 pounds than the old. The body lines are the straight streamline effect of unusual beauty.

The new car is known as Model I, series B Six. Two of the best-known body designers of the United States, in Chicago, expressed the belief that other large car manufacturers would be likely to copy this design for their later models.

A particular feature of the body is its extreme luxury and beauty of interior construction.

Owing to the fact that the Dorris Motor Car Co. prepared itself for advancing prices in raw materials, the price of the new car will not be advanced beyond the old price of $2475, although the builders say that there is $500 more value in it, considering the present cost of materials.

Announcemgent will be soon made of a downtown showroom where the new car will be placed on special exhibition for St. Louisans who have not yet seen it.

HAS 12,960 KINDS OF CARS

Announcement is made by L. G. Schubert, of the Von Arx Automobile Co., that the Winton factory is prepared to supply 12,960 combinations in its Winton six lines. There are 36 different body designs, 72 color suggestions, five styles of leathers and innumerable fabric designs. Eliminating the fabrics, the range of selection reaches 13,960 kinds of Wintons for possible selection. Individual taste is the aim of the builders.

CLUB WARNS MEMBERS

The Automobile Club of St. Louis has issued a warning to its members to go slow about taking $10 membership in a so-called "co-operative" organization which is about to begin business here promising to sell to members tires and other automobile accessories at greatly reduced prices. It is alleged that the concern does not meet its promises.

NEW CASE "40" HERE

The first Case "40" of the new series is being shown in St. Louis by Manager W. S. Roberts of the local Case branch house. The car is en route to the Jefferson County dealer, but is being held here for a few days to show to a number of interested persons. This is the car which attracted wide attention at the Chicago and Kansas City automobile shows.

United States, Nobby Tread Tires

The Grip in the Knobs

The knobs on the 'Nobby' Tread "bite" the road-surface like a file on metal.

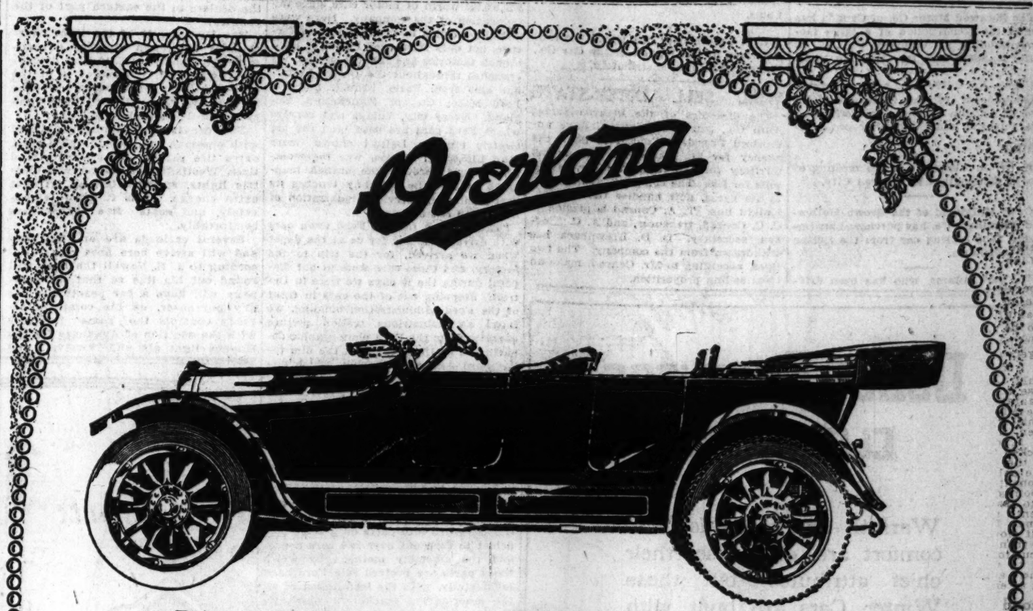
The traction is so intense that it is next to impossible for the tread to slip or skid.

It is the angle, height, thickness, toughness and resiliency of the knobs that make 'Nobby' Treads the surest of anti-skid tires—the Aristocrats of the Road.

While 'Nobby' Tread sales have increased phenomenally, adjustments (on the basis of five thousand miles) have gone down to an almost unwritably small fraction of the total sales.

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It has great reserve power.

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And our enormous output enables us to offer the Overland Six equipped with our vastly superior six motor at a price hundreds of dollars less than you must pay for equal performance in any other car.

We are the world's largest builders of sixes and fours, producing virtually two cars for every one of any other concern building similar types and sizes of cars.

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AUTO NEWS and GOSSIP

W. C. Dold, formerly manager of sales for the branch of the B. F. Goodrich Co., at Kansas City has been appointed St. Louis branch manager for the same company, and will take charge Monday. He succeeds L. K. Rittenhouse, resigned O. E. Herger will be assistant branch manager, a position he held formerly in the local branch.

The Maxwell Motor Co. of Canada has begun the construction of a large factory building, at Windsor, Ontario, to build Maxwell cars for Canadian trade.

Frank B. Willis has been appointed salesmanager of the Chalmers Motor Co. of Detroit. He was formerly with the Packard and Studebaker organizations.

F. W. A. Vesper is at the meeting of Buick distributors at Kansas City.

C. L. McDonald of the Brown-McDonald Machinery Co. has purchased an Imperial four touring car from the Edison Automobile Co.

W. Bert Adams, who has been driving McFarlan cars in speed contests, was a visitor with C. H. Dolfuss, local agent, last week. Frank Smiley has been added to the McFarlan sales force.

W. C. Durant, president of the $80,000,000 Chevrolet Co. of Delaware and New York was in St. Louis last week in consultation with Russell E. Gardner, president of the Chevrolet Co. of St. Louis.

A. F. Funkhouser has joined the selling force of the Newell Motor Car Co., Haynes and Sun distributors.

WILL SELL INTER-STATE

The directors of the Stearns-Knight Auto Co., 3933 Locust street, have authorized President Conrad to take the agency for St. Louis and surrounding territory for the Interstate car, which sells for $850. The company, as indicated by its name, now handles the Stearns-Knight line. T. A. Conrad is president; C. C. Conrad, treasurer, and A. C. Klasson, secretary. D. D. Brownback has withdrawn from the company. The two lines, according to Mr. Conrad, make an ideal selling proposition.

FORD 1916 PLANS TOLD TO BRANCH MANAGERS

W. C. Anderson, manager, and T. L. Huber, assistant manager, of the St. Louis branch of the Ford Motor Co., have just returned to this city from the Ford Branch Managers' Convention, held at the factory, Detroit, from Jan. 31 to Feb. 10.

"It was a remarkable convention," says Mr. Anderson, "and one of importance to both the Ford Motor Co. and the automobile industry, because the selling organization which these branch officials represent has sold more than $625,000,000 worth of motor cars since the foundation of the company. Here were managers called in to a general conference, not only from each of the 28 Ford branch factories and 61 sales and service branches throughout the United States, but also from Paris, France, and the Ford Motor Co., of Manchester, England. Every city, village and corners where Ford cars are used, and the big electric sign in Detroit shows more than 1,155,000 in service, was represented, because through the branch managers present the company touches its vast selling and service organization of more than 8500 agents.

"There was a fleet of Ford town cars with drivers waiting for us at the depot when we arrived, for the trip to the factory, and these cars were at our disposal during the 10 days we were in Detroit. Stepping out of the cars in front of the Ford administration building, we faced an industrious motion picture operator from the Ford photographic department, and registered on the film for the Ford Animated Weekly, which circulates each week in theaters all over the country.

"The first day of the meeting was given over to a reception by the company officials, followed by an inspection of the factory, and it is significant that the demands of Ford activities at the various branches have been so insistent that several of the representatives saw for the first time the machinery and production systems by which raw material is turned into parts on a scale sufficient to turn out over 2000 cars a day, and the assembly methods by which those parts are evolved into Ford cars. Incidentally, with the installation of all the labor-saving machinery which invention can supply, the number of employes in the Ford factory has grown in one year from 18,000 to more than 26,000. Over 100,000 visitors took this trip through the factory last year.

"In the convention session, the first attention was given to assembling and manufacturing, covering not only this year's output of 500,000 cars, but the provisions which have been made to take care of a greatly increased production for 1917. As indicating the progress towards this end, on Jan. 28 last, Ford daily production reached 2160 cars, the highest point of the year. These subjects of Ford factory activities hold an intense interest to the entire industrial world, because they have seen the constant introduction of new and more efficient methods of production.

"In the matters of sales and owners' service, the expected sale of 500,000 Ford cars this year, added to the more than 1,155,000 now in use, offers problems which will be met by the opening of new branches throughout the country, made necessary by the growing demand for larger service from the rapidly increasing army of owners of Ford cars, wherever conditions seem to demand. In the last year, 15 sales and service branches have been established.

"Besides production, sales and owners' service, all the activities which go to make up the immense interests of the factory as well as the branches, will be more efficiently handled as a result of this convention. There is building construction, which covers not ony the great factory at Detroit, which, as was recently announced, is to be doubled in size at a cost of $6,000,000 to $7,000,000, but the new company buildings constantly under way in the various branch cities; sociological work as applied both to the 26,000 factory employes and the more than 7500 employes at the different branch factories; traffic problems in distributing 500,000 cars in 12 months to every section of the country. More effective methods for educating both the retail and wholesale salesmen and putting into operation systems that mean greater efficiency both to the company and the customer. Among the most important of those systems to the Ford buyer are the provisions for a constantly widening measure of Ford service. So this convention means much to every Ford owner, both present and future.

GOOD ROADS MEN ASK FOR CONVICT LABOR

The Missouri Good Roads Society, which was originally organized for championing a bill to require the convicts of the Jefferson City penitentiary to be used in building roads, has just reorganized for an aggressive campaign to accomplish this purpose at the next meeting of the Legislature and take up the general subject of good roads throughout the State of Missouri.

Most of the organization work so far has been done in St. Louis and there are now nearly 2000 members who have signed the petition to the Legislature. At a recent meeting an advisory committee of 22 men was organized, which committee will be increased by members from every city and town in Missouri.

Friday evening at the Elks' Club the following officers were elected: President, Con P. Curran of the Con P. Curran Printing Co.; vice president, J. H. Phillips of the Hudson-Phillips M. C. Co.; treasurer, Clinton E. Udell of the Provident Chemical Works; secretary, D. H. Lincoln, who has been secretary of the society for the past three years.

A committee for the revision of the by-laws was appointed by President Curran and its members are: Clinton E. Udell, chairman; H. C. Morton, Charles P. Comer, Charles Hertenstein, D. H. Lincoln.

The Advisory Committee of 22 members is as follows: E. H. Conrades, Con P. Curran, Theo. Hemmelman Jr., F. H. Ehnts, M. J. Brennan, P. Beardslee, John A. Peck, L. H. Booch, V. W. Leach, Clinton E. Udell, H. C. Martin, A. R. Schollmeyer, R. H. Jones, Charles J. Kostuba, S. Waters Fox, John H. Wolf, Charles Hertenstein, George E. Vogel, J. T. Craighead, Charles P. Comer, J. H. Phillips, D. H. Lincoln.

NEWELL GETS AGENCY FOR $650 DORT LINE

The Newell Motor Car Co., through J. E. Newell, president, has just closed a contract with the Dort Motor Car Co. of Flint, Mich., which makes them distributors for Dort cars. The territory included in the deal is St. Louis, the eastern half of Missouri and the southern half of Illinois.

The Dort car, although new in St. Louis, is not new to the motoring world, having been marketed for several seasons and has been much sought after by dealers in this section. The factory has refused until this time to close territory west of Chicago because unable to supply the dealers in the eastern part of the country.

The Dort car is of the light four-cylinder type, and includes a roadster which sells for $540, and a touring car at $650. The motor is of the four-cylinder construction of the high speed type with a bore and stroke of 3¼x5 inches.

The car is completely equipped with one-man top, demountable rims, extra tire carrier, all weather tread tires, Westinghouse starter and electric lights, speedometer, all without extra charge. It is finished elaborately, and seats five passengers comfortably.

Several carloads are on the way and will arrive here next week. According to J. E. Newell the Dort will round out his line so that his company will have a car practically for any purchaser, as his company already controls the same territory with the addition of Arkansas for the Haynes light six and twelve, and Southern Illinois, Eastern Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, that part of Tennessee including Memphis, and Indiana including Evansville, for the Sunlight six, a new car selling at $1095.

E. B. Foote has been appointed sales manager and will devote his time to territory work. Two new men have been recently added to the organization. A. F. Funkhouser, formerly territory man for the Grant six, will handle the Illinois territory, and A. B. Black, formerly with the Shredded Wheat Biscuit Co., will have charge of the Missouri district.

TO SELL OWEN MAGNETIC

Leach, Brouster Co. of St. Louis have taken the selling agency for the Owen magnetic car. This is a six-cylinder gasoline car which is electrically controlled, having no gears except the reverse. The motor is not mechanically connected with the rear axle. The entire construction is novel. One car has already been sold in St. Louis. Others will not be ready before April. The car is built by the Baker R. &L. Co. of Cleveland and New York.

ELECTRIC SERVICE STATION

H. C. Thompson Jr. has established a Westinghouse electrical station for service and supplies at 4627 Delmar boulevard. A complete line of parts for all Westinghouse motor car equipment will be carried and experts have been engaged to make repairs and replacements. The trade in St. Louis territory will be supplied.

BOUGHT FIFTEEN TRUCKS

Marshall Field & Co. of Chicago have added approximately $40,000 to their investment in commercial vehicles by the purchase of 15 Packard light service motor trucks. This increases the Field fleet of Packards to 47 vehicles, 32 trucks having been purchased at various times since 1908. All these vehicles are still giving good service and it was in a great measure due to their performance over a period of years that Marshall Field & Co. decided to standardize on Packard equipment—to the exclusion of other makes. Another deciding factor was the report of Field & Co.'s transportation experts who have carefully investigated the merits of practically every make of motor truck.

The standard light service design and construction is used throughout the new chassis, with the addition of electrical starting and lighting, Sewell cushion wheels and extra long wheelbase of 12 feet. The frames are 10 feet long, to accommodate the distinctive type of body favored by this purchaser.

EXAMPLE OF NEATNESS

An example of the successful efforts of motor car makers to simplify the exterior appearance of their cars is noted in the Cadillac Eight.

Among points which may be cited is the manner in which the frame of the wind shield is set into the corners of the cowl and securely anchored, thereby eliminating the necessity for stay rods or braces. It is also observed that the running boards are perfectly clear, the battery box being concealed in a compartment behind the dust shield, alongside the running board, on one side, and the detached accessories such as wheel jack, tire hose and gas tank filler on the opposite side.

Another point is the manner in which the side lamps are designed and attached, which does away with the exposed wiring. The latter not only contributes to neatness in appearance, but by thus concealing the wires, they are protected from the weather and the probability of damage from other sources is removed.

BIG WINTER BUSINESS

"January was the biggest month in the history of the Saxon company, from the standpoint of orders received," states H. W. Ford, president and general manager of the Saxon Motor Car Co., in a letter to the Frye Motor Car Co. "It ran ahead of our best previous months, which were last May and June, right in the heart of the selling season, by over 50 per cent. Yet judging from present conditions February will shatter even this high record.

"This condition is particularly significant since it offers tangible evidence of the fact that the modern motor car is now in general use every day of the year. Formerly winter was a dull season with automobile companies; factories ran on part time; cars had to be stored in warehouses awaiting the opening of spring business. Today, however, dealers are taking and selling cars right through the severest weather.

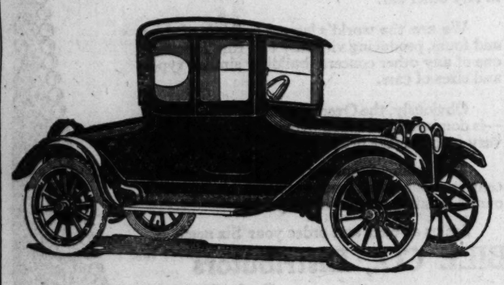
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The gasoline consumption is unusually low.
The price of the Winter Touring Car or Roadster complete, including regular mohair top, is $950 (f. o. b. Detroit).
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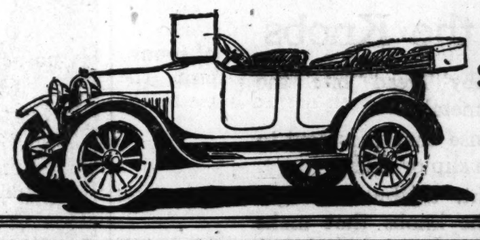
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Dear Sir:
Today I am sending you photographs of the best car in Newport for the price, to-wit: The Chevrolet Four-Ninety. And in that car some of our best looking girls, who, with the aid of the Chevrolet, which was the only car that could stem the current, were landed safely in the building on the left.
With best wishes for you always, I remain as ever,
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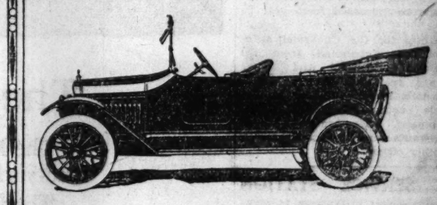
"MAN is not born to solve the problems of the universe, but to find out what he has to do and to restrain himself within the limits of his comprehension."

So spoke one of the world's greatest philosophers. And the same immortal truth has been echoed down the centuries.

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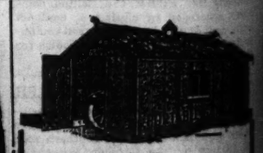
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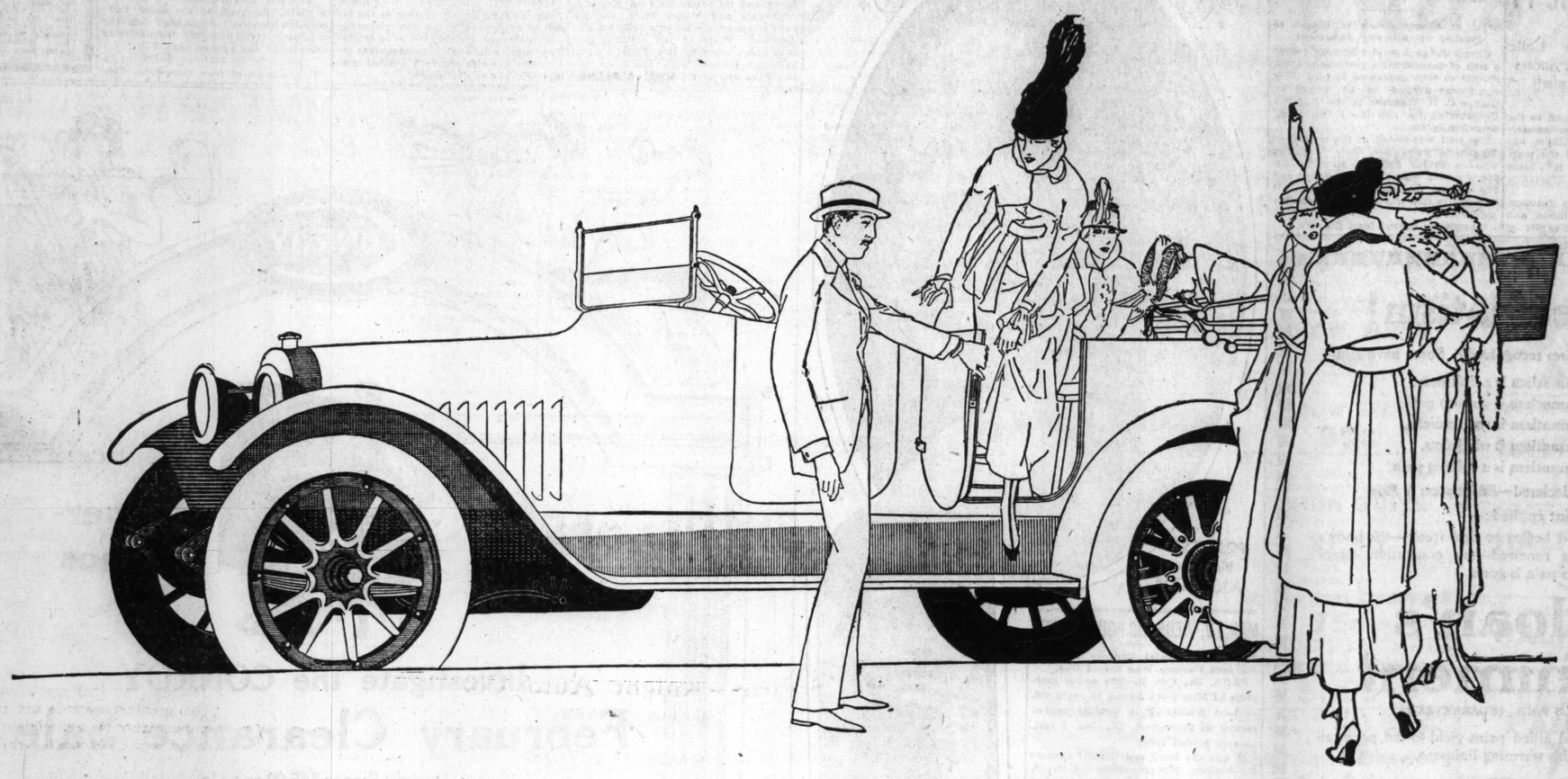
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It isn't a question any longer of mile-a-minute speed. Nobody but a college sophomore or a Ralph Mulford wants that kind of a car.

But there is a quiet, growing, insistent demand for a car of spunk, that picks itself up neatly and gets itself under way with a spirit—the same kind of spirit that responds in a lively, high-nerved horse to the light touch of a whip.

This is the kind of a car that rolls up to the opera quickly, quietly, without groan or complaint, and rolls away again into the night with a grace and smartness and a liveliness that the traffic cop notes and admires.

For he is, after all, a good judge of things automobile. He knows the sluggish cars from the peppery ones, the "light-footed" from the "heavy-footed," and the gear-changing kind from the always-on-high variety, and he mentally salutes the lively.

Spunk in a car is needed most not at 70 or 75 miles an hour, but 5 and 10 and 15 and 20 and 35 miles an hour.

It comes in handy when you want to go out and go by the man ahead, when the cop's whistle blows, when you are taking the other man's dust, every time that you turn a corner, every time you hit a grade, every time you wind your way up a hill.

And the men who are driving this kind of a car express it in the lines of their faces—a certain ease of control, a peculiar note of confidence, the absence of fret, the feeling of having something secure and sure beneath the right foot.

Watch for them. You will find them driving Chalmers Six-40s. Hang on to one of them in traffic or in open country. It takes a good car to roll along with one. This is because a minimum of fuel is translated into a maximum of power through the valve-in-the-head, overhead cam-shaft type of engine.

You will observe there is no tire-burning speed, no roar of gears, no pell-mell driving.

Just a keep-a-going pace, wonderful acceleration, an arrow-like direction, always four wheels on the ground, no sidesway,—and a peck of pep if you try to tickle the speedometer needle up to 60.

Few can pass her. If you want more speed than that, the Chalmers Six-40 cannot give it to you.

You had better go buy a Rolls-Royce. Pay the price.

But don't buy a low-priced racing animal. Get a thoroughbred. It's an interesting kind of a car to own.

And for day-in and day-out use get one of these Chalmers Six-40s. It's got room—124 inches of wheelbase; French finish upholstery; nice clutch action; good braking properties; every button and dial within finger's reach.

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Bring your wife. She will make discoveries you never knew existed in a car before.

Also bring your check-book. Because the price goes up March 1st to $1450 Detroit. Now, and until March 1st, you pay $1350 Detroit for your Six-40. So come prepared.

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YOUNGEST SON OF KAISER TO WED AT POTSDAM, MAR. 11

Simple Ceremony to Unite Prince Joachim and Princess Marie Augustine of Anhalt.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. from Amsterdam says that Emperor William has announced his decision that the marriage of Prince Joachim is to take place at Potsdam on March 11.

The engagement of Prince Joachim, youngest son of Emperor William, and Princess Marie Augustine, daughter of Prince Edward of Anhalt, was officially announced in Berlin on Oct. 14, 1915. It has since then been stated unofficially that the wedding would take place during the present month and that the ceremony would be extremely simple.

Prince Joachim, who was 25 years old last Dec. 17, is a Captain in the Fourteenth Regiment of Hussars.

WAGONER'S STOCK IS SOUGHT

Writ of Sequestration Is Issued to Realize on Alimony Judgment.

Circuit Judge Arnold yesterday issued a writ of sequestration commanding the Sheriff to take charge of certain stock certificates alleged to be owned by George C. R. Wagoner in the Wagoner Undertaking Co. and the H. H. Wagoner Realty Co.

The writ was issued at the request of Wagoner's wife, Mrs. Lulu Wagoner, who on Friday obtained an order for $400 a month separate maintenance and $750 counsel fees against Wagoner. It is hoped in this way to realize upon the judgment.

Wagoner is absent from the city.

Rheumatism!

How is rheumatism recognized? Some have said—

Rheumatism is a dull pain.
Rheumatism is a sharp pain.
Rheumatism is sore muscles.
Rheumatism is stiff joints.
Rheumatism is a shifting pain.

All have declared—*Rheumatism is Pain.*

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PRINCESS MARIE AUGUSTINE

PRINCE JOACHIM

MAN, 72, WEDS HIS HOUSEKEEPER

Third Matrimonial Venture for Illinois Farmer Was Secret One.

PANA, Ill., Feb. 12.—The secret marriage of Miss Nora Evans, 55 years old, to Levi Walker, 72, a wealthy retired farmer at Springfield, Ill., Jan. 1 last, became known today.

It was the third matrimonial venture for Walker. His second wife, divorced, lives here. The bride was for five months his housekeeper.

FIRE LAW PENALIZING THOSE WHO ARE CARELESS SUGGESTED

Illinois Statistician, at Venice Firemen's Banquet, Says That Would Reduce Number of Fires.

"Make the fact that a person has a a fire prima facie evidence of carelessness, and put the burden of the proof that such is not the case on the property owner or tenant, and with the necessity of paying the losses sustained by others through such fire confronting him, we will see the number of fires greatly reduced."

This declaration was made by Simon Kellerman Jr., statistician of the Illinois Firemen's Association, before 200 persons at a dinner given at the city hall at Venice last night by the Venice Fire Department. The Lincoln day banquet is an annual affair with the organization.

"We want in Illinois a law which will make the man who is careless about burning rubbish on his premises, or even allowing it to accumulate; the man who don't repair the defective flue which is pointed out to him, who ignores the notification concerning lack of standard wiring; the man who comes in under any of these or similar headings, penalized," Kellerman added.

"Not by criminal prosecution, but through civil process, whereby he would have to stand his neighbor's loss, unless he could show that the fire was not his fault. The law should be so drawn as to put the burden of proof, not on the man who suffered, but the man whose fire was the cause.

"Such a measure will be introduced at the next session of the Illinois Legislature. I feel reasonably certain that the Supreme Court will hold it constitutional."

Western Travelogue Before Twentieth Century Art Club at Soldan High School Friday Evening.

The Twentieth Century Art Club announces an illustrated lecture on the Great American West—Colorado, Utah, Yellowstone Park and California—including views of the San Diego Exposition and some of the principal groups of outdoor statuary at the recent Panama-Pacific Exposition, at the Soldan High School, Union and Kensington avenues, Friday, Feb. 18, at 8:15 p. m.

The lecture will be given by J. W. Booth and will be free to members and friends.

February Is Cupid's Month.

Give your sweetheart a Diamond Ring for a valentine. You have eight months to pay at Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. Sixth st.

Masonic Auxiliary to Entertain.

The Alhambra Grotto, No. 47, of St. Louis, an auxiliary of the Masonic Order, will give an entertainment at the Victoria Theater next Saturday night to raise funds to send a drill team to the annual convention in Detroit next June. The program will include a comedy, "Prof. Hokum," and a one-act play, "The Minister's Sacrifice." There also will be vaudeville acts and dancing.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

FOLLETTE TO LEAD SEARCH OF RIVER FOR WIFE'S BODY

Her Brother Here From New York Will Assist and Part of Meramec Will Be Dragged.

Walter E. Follette, husband of Mrs. Jessie Forrester Follette, who disappeared Jan. 23 from the Glenwood Sanitarium at Glendale, St. Louis County, today will lead a search of the Meramec River and its banks between Meramec Highlands and Valley Park, for the body of his wife, who, it is believed, was drowned. Parts of the clothing and both shoes, worn by Mrs. Follette when she disappeared, were found on the banks of the river, west of Meramec Highlands, last Wednesday.

Follette arrived in Webster Groves yesterday from Joliet, Ill. He will be joined in the search for the body of the missing woman by her brother, Richard Forrester of New York, who arrived here last night, after he had been informed of the finding of Mrs. Follette's clothing.

Two launches will be used by the searchers and the river will be dragged.

Killed by "Empty" Shotgun.

DANBURY, Io., Feb. 12.—William Huss, a young farmer, is dead as the result of being shot by his wife yesterday with a shotgun she believed to be empty. The young man was at the breakfast table when his wife playfully pointed it at him and pulled the trigger.

AIRMAN ACCUSED OF DESERTING

Italian Landed on Swiss Territory, But Was Returned.

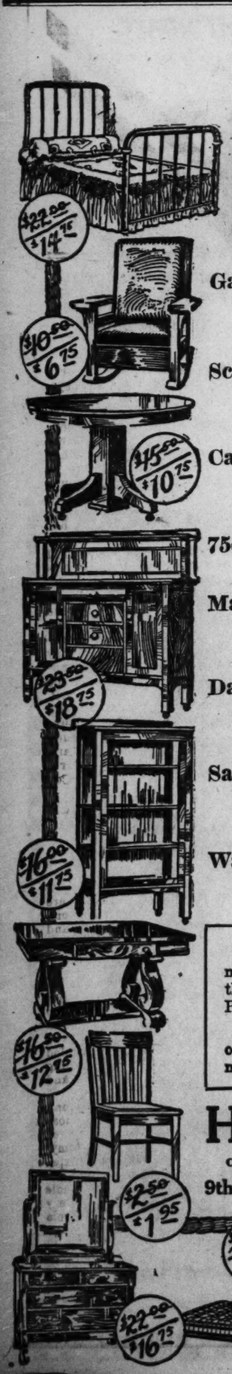
BERLIN, Feb. 12.—The Swiss newspaper Thurgauer Zeitung says the Italian aviator Barbati, who recently landed in Switzerland with a new aeroplane, made a record for deserters as the first soldier to desert by air, says the Overseas News Agency.

"The fact that Barbati is a deserter is plain, inasmuch as the Swiss Government immediately complied with the request of Italy to return the pilot and aeroplane," the agency says.

It was reported from Geneva on Feb. 4 that a new Italian observation aeroplane had landed on Swiss territory after being fired on by Swiss guards and hit repeatedly. The aviator said he had flown over Swiss territory by mistake.

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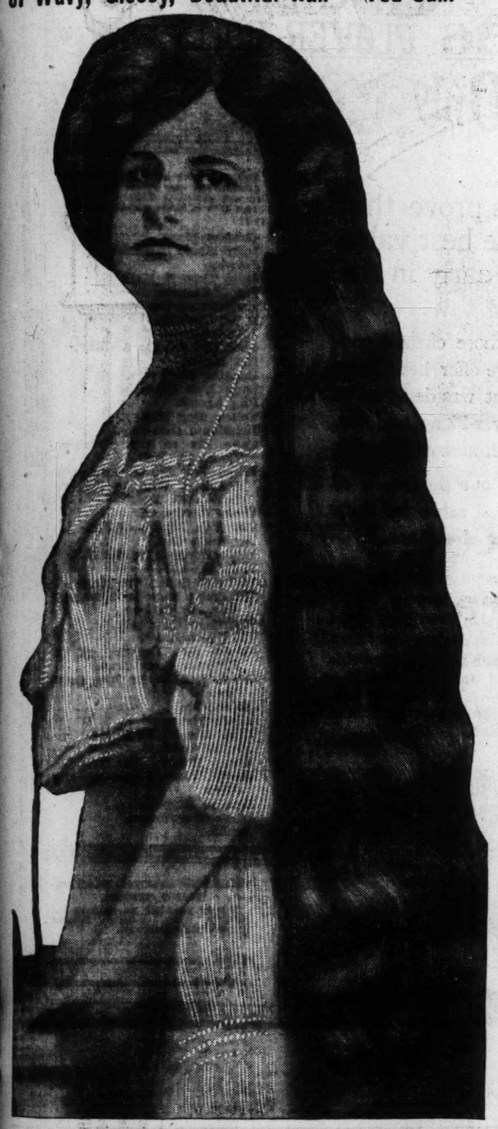
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Germans in Chile Raise $125,000.
BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Emperor William, according to the Overseas News Agency, has received $125,000 donated by Germans in Chile to the national relief fund for the families of soldiers killed in battle.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR WITH "DANDERINE"

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BELGIAN CLOTHING RELIEF SALES AT STORES HERE ON THREE DAYS OF NEXT WEEK

Goods Purchased Will Be Forwarded Free—American Writer Tells of Need and Why Old Clothes Won't Do.

The last three days of next week, Feb. 24, 25 and 26, will be Belgian Clothing Relief days in St. Louis stores, under arrangements made with the stores by the Belgian Relief Committee.

On those days the retail stores dealing in clothing and shoes will sell merchandise suitable for this relief work at special prices, which will be advertised in advance. The goods thus purchased will be collected at a central depot and forwarded free of charge by the express companies, and, through the Commission for Relief in Belgium, will be sent directly to the Belgians. Checks should be drawn to the Belgian Clothing Fund and sent to Gus. V. Mechin, treasurer, 812 Chestnut street.

Charles Nagel, chairman of the local committee, and three members of the committee—George D. Markham, A. L. Shapleigh and Breckenridge Jones—have been active in the arrangements for the clothing sales. The committee of the Retailers' Association, in charge of the arrangements, consists of Thomas W. Garland, chairman; W. L. Schmitz, of Schmitz & Shroder, H. M. Swope of the Swope Shoe Co., Max Koenigsberg of the Famous and Barr Co., D. E. Levy of Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co., J. Hobelman of Npgents' and Coleman R. Gray of Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney.

American Writer Pictures Need.

The need existing in Belgium for this measure of relief is told in the following article by Will Irwin, an American writer, who is familiar with conditions in Belgium:

"Only the larger issues of this war have prevented Americans from knowing more about the Commission for Relief in Belgium, our own most important part, so far, in Armageddon. An aeroplane fight is more interesting, essentially, than an operation in high finance, and a battle always draws more attention than a social movement. Just at present the human race is constituted that way. So very few, I suppose, really understand that a group of Americans is running over in war-torn Europe the greatest charitable undertaking the world ever saw, and running it in such a manner that it may change and overturn the old methods of organized charity. Lord Curzon, member of the British Cabinet, said last spring at the Mansion House that hitherto public relief on a large scale had been synonymous with incompetence or corruption, or both, and that here, for the first time, the work had been done with absolute economy and efficiency.

Miracle of Organization.

"It has been a miracle of organization; less than 1 per cent of the money has gone for 'overhead' expenses. Men such as Hoover, the chairman, and Bates, until recently the American chairman, have let world-wide personal interest go to pot in order to work without salary for the commission. It has been a miracle of speed. Less than three weeks after the call came the commission had begun to cut red tape and was pouring a stream of wheat into Belgium. It has been a miracle of diplomacy. The commissioners have been walking a tight wire between the conflicting hatreds and suspicions of three warring Powers. The whole story will not be told until after the war. We have 30 young Americans running food districts in Belgium. They live in the midst of pathos and humor and even personal danger; but they cannot write about it, because they are pledged to hold their tongues and pens about their experiences in Belgium. Caspar Whitney is down in Northern France, special advocate of the commission with the German great staff. Trained reporter that he is, he too works under the pledge of silence. But some day we shall know it all, and it will be a great and romantic story.

Problem Is Complex.

"The problem is very complex. The active executives of the commission are volunteers. Most of the underlings are working for bare expenses. In that sense it is all charity. In another sense it is not. Early in the game the commission found that 9,000,000 people could not be fed with certainty by the charity of the world. Ways were found to hypothecate Belgian property; paper currency was issued; those who had anything left were enabled to pay their way. There remained, however, 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 factory operatives who had been out of work since the war began, and who had nothing at all. The outside world has been obliged to pay for feeding them. I wish I might say that America has done most of this, but I cannot. Up to October last we had given only 7 cents per capita, whereas New Zealand had given $1.25 per capita. At that, the commission has had to strain every resource of charity.

"Now arises another emergency—curious, distressing, yet in some aspect humorous. There is a general embargo on wool and cotton, as well as on made-up clothes. Not a Belgian loom has turned since the war began. In short, there has been no new supply of clothing for 17 or 18 months. That industrial population would get no garments even had they money. Rapidly they approach nakedness. The schools in some factory towns are closed because the children cannot dress to go out of doors. All over Belgium three or four children of a large family are lying abed so that the fourth or fifth child may go out and play in the only garments which remain to the family. They are a people in rags—without patches. Patches take cloth, and there is no spare cloth.

"The Belgians will need at least $4,000,000 worth of new clothing or materials this winter. Secondhand clothing will not do, this time. Owing to war regulations, a cargo of secondhand clothes would have to be unloaded, fumigated and reloaded three times in transit between the United States and the Dutch border. That would make the secondhand garments cost more than new ones, and three fumigations will ruin all but the stoutest stuff. The commission rather prefers the materials to the made-up goods. There are millions of idle people in Belgium. To give them work at making clothing is in itself a charity.

"Because the stuff need be neither fashionable nor tasteful—just clothes for warmth and decency—the commission has started out after the 'remnants' and 'shop-worn' goods of the United States. There are in our shops millions of yards of cloth which is scarcely salable because the material is passe or because the pattern failed to hit public fancy. Also, there are probably hundreds of thousands of shoes which will 'go out as a sacrifice' because they are out of style. The commission wants these things, and it wants the American people to buy them. Also, it wants them quickly. The quicker they come, the less pneumonia, tuberculosis and general debility there will be in Belgium.

"Please help. Only we who have seen Belgium in her misery know how great is the need."

NOAH WEBSTER PAPERS FOUND

Old Land Grant Gave Him Farm Near Danville, Ill.

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 12.—An original land patent, wherein the United States conveyed to "Noah Webster of New Haven County, Conn., a soldier of the Revolutionary War," a tract of land comprising what is now Ross Township, has been discovered. The farm is 15½ miles north of Danville.

The patent was granted to Webster May 8, 1833, and was signed by Martin Van Buren as President. Webster was then completing the second edition of his dictionary, which he published in 1840. He died in 1843.

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OKLAHOMA TO SEND INDIAN TO REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Other Delegate Elected in Second District Was Progressive Organizer in Last Campaign.

MUSKOGEE, Ok., Feb. 12.—The first Oklahoma delegate elected to the National Republican Convention at Chicago, June 7, is a Cherokee Indian, a stand-patter, and he is uninstructed. He is E. W. Frey, and lives at Sallisaw, Ok. The second delegate elected is L. G. Disney, who, during the last campaign, was a national organizer for the Progressives.

These delegates were selected at the convention of the Second Oklahoma District held here today. The convention passed a resolution commending Roosevelt's views on national affairs, but avoided recommending him for President.

IF KIDNEYS FEEL LIKE LEAD OR YOUR BACK IS ACHING, TAKE SALTS AT ONCE

We all eat too much meat, which clogs up the Kidneys, and they need a flushing, else we must suffer.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

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Throws Roll of Money at Daughter's Feet, Bids Her Goodby and Shoots Self.

Mrs. Sadie Redden, 31 years old, of 1529 Pine street, shot and killed herself yesterday afternoon. She was the third in direct line of descent to kill herself. Her grandmother drowned herself in a well 20 years ago, and her father ended his life with poison four years ago.

Mrs. Redden and her husband, William Redden, ran the Pine street house as a rooming house. She was discharged from the city sanitarium two months ago after being treated for mental disorder.

While her daughter, Edna, 15, sat in the next room, she opened a trunk and took out a loaded revolver and a roll of bills amounting to $210. Opening the door she tossed the bills at her daughter's feet, crying, "There it is; good-by." She placed the revolver to the left side of her breast and pulled the trigger.

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CASH PROCEEDS OF FRENCH BAZAR AMOUNTED TO $9022

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The French Society of St. Louis, which gave a fete and bazar at Dreamland, Dec. 13-15, to raise funds to aid the French war sufferers, has issued a complete report showing the net cash proceeds amounted to $9022.17.

The total receipts of the fete were $12,239.68. Of this amount $1250 was received for a portrait donated by Richard Miller and sold to W. K. Bixby at auction. The total expenses of the fete amounted to $3217.51.

Merchandise valued at $4000, comprising shoes, clothing, woolen yarn, and all kinds of dry goods, also was donated. This has been forwarded to France for distribution among the following institutions: Union des Familles Francaises et Allies, at Paris; Orphelinat de la Guerre, Etretat; Oeuvre du Phenix, Roanne; and the Union Centrale d'Assistance Maternelle et Infantile, La Pouponniere, Orphelinat des Armees, and Vestiare des Hopitaux, all in Paris.

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It Looks and Tastes Like Beverage, It Is, Court Decides.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 12.—In a proceeding in contempt for violating an injunction against maintaining a liquor nuisance, "evidence that liquor sold looked like beer, tasted like beer and that the witness believed was beer, and that there was malt in the liquor sold to another witness, is sufficient to justify a finding of the sale of intoxicating liquor," according to an opinion handed down by the Kansas Supreme Court here today in affirming an opinion of the Cherokee County District Court.

The Court also held that it is not an error to refuse to permit a witness to taste the contents of a bottle to see if they are the same as the contents of another bottle purchased from the defendant by the witness.

COURT BARS MAN FROM HOME

Wife Obtains Order Pending Trial of Her Divorce Suit.

A temporary restraining order was issued yesterday by Circuit Judge Arnold to prevent Edgar L. Petty, a freight clerk for the Illinois Southern Railway, from entering his home at 3223A Pestalozzi street, and bothering his wife, Mrs. Effa C. Petty, pending a decision in the divorce suit Mrs. Petty brought with the application for the restraining order.

The divorce petition alleges that the couple have lived apart in the same flat. Mrs. Petty alleges that her husband struck her with a club and broke her arm and that several times he had driven her from home, once in night attire.

She asks for $60 a month alimony and counsel fees. The couple were married in Dallas, Tex., Nov. 4, 1912, and came to St. Louis in February, 1913. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Effa Cottrell.

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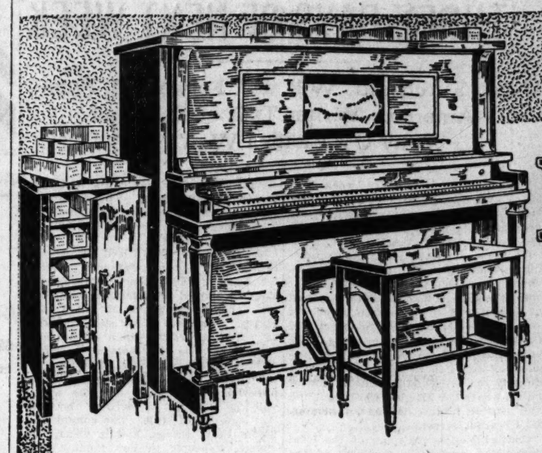
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Hope Lodge, K. P., to Celebrate.

Hope Lodge No. 186, Knights of Pythias, will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary Feb. 17 by initiating a class of 25 in rank of page at its castle hall, Texas avenue and Cherokee street. A banquet and cabaret is to follow the ceremonies. Grand Keeper of Records and Seals Edwin Ettinger will make an address. The lodge has 600 members.

Son's Custody Awarded to Mother.

Judge Arnold yesterday awarded to Mrs. Ruby Kelly the custody of her son, George Kelly Jr., 6 years old. Mrs. Kelly had sued her divorced husband, George Kelly, for possession of the child. While the case was pending the child was at the Mission Free School, 361 North Taylor avenue.



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Debutante One-Step.
Take Me to the Midnight Cakewalk Ball.
When You Are in Love with Someone Who Is Not in Love with You.
Omar Khayyam.
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Little House Upon the Hill.
M-O-T-H-E-R.
Hill and Dale. Fox Trot.
I'll Come Back to Erin and You, My Colleen.
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CLERK HELD FOR RIFLING MAIL

Negro Postal Employe Admits Opening Letters Since First of Year.

Ira Williams, a negro postal clerk of 2806½ Walnut street, was arrested yesterday after inspectors had seen him take possession of four letters while he was assorting the mail. Two of the letters, which had been opened by the negro, were decoy letters in which marked money had been placed. The money was found in Williams' pocket.

After his arrest Williams told the inspectors that he had been rifling the mails since the first of the year.

Doctor Says Nuxated Iron Will Increase Strength of Delicate People 200% in Ten Days

In many instances—Persons have suffered untold agony for years doctoring for nervous weakness, stomach, liver or kidney disease or some other ailment when their real trouble was lack of iron in the blood.—How to tell.

In a recent discourse, Dr. E. Sauer, Specialist, of New York City, N. Y., said: If you were to make an actual blood test on all people who are ill you would probably be greatly astonished at the exceedingly large number who lack iron and who are ill for no other reason than the lack of iron. The moment iron is supplied all their multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. Without iron the blood at once loses the power to change food into living tissue, and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. As a result of this continuous blood and nerve-starvation, people become generally weakened, nervous and all run down, and frequently develop all sorts of conditions. One is too thin; another is burdened with unhealthy fat; some are so weak they can hardly walk; some think they have dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble; some can't sleep at night, others are sleepy and tired all day; some fussy and irritable; some skinny and bloodless, but all lack physical power and endurance. In such cases it is worse than foolishness to take stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs, which only whip up your jagging vital powers for the moment, maybe at the expense of your life later on. No matter what anyone tells you, if you are not strong and well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous run-down people who were ailing all the time double and even triple their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of their symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form, and this after they had, in some cases, been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. You can talk as you please about all the wonders wrought by new remedies, but when you come down to hard facts there is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and good sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It is also a great nerve and stomach strengthener and the best blood-builder in the world. The only trouble was that the old forms of inorganic iron like tin-ture of iron, iron acetate, etc., often ruined people's teeth, upset their stomachs and were not assimilated, and for these reasons they frequently did more harm than good. But with the discovery of the newer forms of organic iron all this has been overcome. Nuxated Iron, for example, is pleasant to take, does not injure the teeth and is almost immediately beneficial.

NOTE—The manufacturers of Nuxated Iron have such unbounded confidence in its potency that they authorize the announcement that they will forfeit $100.00 to any Charitable Institution if they cannot take any man or woman under sixty who lacks iron and increase their strength 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. Also they will refund your money in any case in which Nuxated Iron does not at least double your strength in ten days' time. It is dispensed in this city by Judge & Dolph Drug Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Johnson-Enderle-Pauley Drug Co. and all other druggists—ADV.

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—ADV.

STAND-PATTERS IN FULL CONTROL IN THIRD DISTRICT

Missouri Progressives Make No Effort to Elect Men to Chicago Republican Convention.

WEEKS DELEGATES CHOSEN

E. L. Morse and E. B. Frisby of Harrison County to Represent District at Meeting.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Feb. 13.—Standpatism was triumphant over Progressivism in the Third Congressional District convention here today for the election of two delegates and two alternates to the Republican national convention at Chicago, June 7. E. L. Morse of Excelsior Springs, leader of the standpat element of the party and noted for his unyielding opposition to all leaders and principles of the progressives, and E. B. Frisby, banker, of Harrison County were elected delegates without a contest in the convention, although four delegates from Davies County refused to vote, declaring that they could not stand for the Morse slate.

The result of the convention, the first to be held in the United States, was a victory for United States Senator John W. Weeks of Massachusetts for President, so far as the selection of delegates is concerned. Morse is manager of the Weeks campaign in Missouri. He did not ask that the delegates be instructed, being satisfied with the election of himself and Frisby as delegates. Fred Williams of Worth County and B. F. Harden of Gentry County were elected alternates. The only concession to the Progressives was in the selection of Dr. A. H. Vandiver of Bethany as chairman of the convention. Dr. Vandiver was superintendent of one of the State hospitals under former Gov. Hadley and was a Progressive in 1912.

Morse Leaves Sickroom.

Homer Mann, who headed the Davies County delegation, is chairman of the Republican committee of that county. He said the reason that four of the five delegates refused to vote for Morse and Frisby was that Morse had dominated the selection of delegates to the convention in the 10 counties comprising the district, and that the delegates were here not to represent the will of the voters, but to follow out the instructions of Morse and his co-workers.

Morse has been ill for the past month and did not leave his room until today, when he was brought to the convention and directed its movements from his chair. After his election he made a speech, in which he declared that he had always been loyal to the Republican party, and that during the campaign of 1912, when everybody was predicting that the Republican party would be so completely wrecked that it could never be revived, he walked the streets of St. Louis day and night to raise campaign funds, and obtained $6500 of the $8000 raised for the State committee. He declared that with a party leader in 1916 such as Senator Weeks, the Republican party would be restored to power.

Progressives Not in Evidence.

The Progressive element of the party, which, under the leadership of Gov. Hadley in 1912 came into this district and attempted to elect Roosevelt delegates, did not assert itself in today's convention. Morse had the situation completely in control. Joe Black of Richmond was the Morse floor leader.

Four years ago there was a bitter fight in the convention, it being charged by the Roosevelt men that the Taft leaders controlled the convention by using baseball bats to keep out the Roosevelt delegates.

Many of the delegates to the convention said that there was no crystallization of sentiment in their counties for any particular candidate, while many others said that Justice Hughes was by all odds the choice of a majority of the voters. Others expressed the hope that the present session of Congress would develop some conspicuous leader who could be united upon by all elements of the party. It is conceded, however, that Morse and Frisby, as the official representatives of this district in the Chicago convention, will be bitterly opposed to the nomination of any candidate for President who has the indorsement of Roosevelt. Morse has been the most determined anti-Roosevelt leader in Missouri and would never under any circumstances vote for him for President.

Morse Won't Fight Hadley.

Morse has decided, however, that he will not fight Hadley for one of the four delegates at large to the Chicago convention. The delegates at large will be elected at the Republican State convention to be held here April 6. It is understood among the delegates here that Hadley will announce his withdrawal from the race for United States Senator at the meeting of the Young Republicans Club of Missouri at Kansas City Monday night and that he will be satisfied with his election as delegate at large to the National Convention. The State leaders say Hadley hopes that a condition may arise in the National Convention whereby he may become the choice for President, or, at least, for Vice President. Hadley is now in New Mexico, but a message announcing his intentions is expected Monday night.

A majority of the delegates attending the convention said that former Supreme Judge Henry Lamm of Sedalia will make a runaway race for Governor. There is some sentiment in this district for Charles Morris of St. Joseph, but the delegates expressed the opinion that Judge Lamm could not be beaten.

Republicans Call Meeting to Select Delegates to State and District Conventions.

MONTGOMERY CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.—The Republicans have called a mass meeting to be held here Feb. 23 for the purpose of electing delegates to the State convention at Excelsior Springs, and the Ninth Congressional District convention at Warrenton, March 2.

No candidate for Congress against Speaker Clark has been announced. It is understood that Clark will be a candidate again.

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AUDITOR'S STATEMENT SHOWS HOW CITIES BEAR TAX BURDEN

St. Louis and Kansas City Produce Half of State Revenue—96 Counties Get More Than They Pay In.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—State Auditor John P. Gordon issued today a statement compiled by clerks in his office, intended to explain the deficit in the State Treasury. It shows St. Louis and Kansas City raise almost one-half the State revenue, although they contain only one-fourth of the population.

The figures indicate that while 96 out of 114 counties, including five entire congressional districts get more out of the State Treasury than they pay into it, St. Louis gets only one-fourth as much as it pays in, and leaves to the State a balance of $1,439,373.45.

St. Louis paid to the State in 1915, $1,859,823.22 and received in return $450,449.79. Jackson County, including Kansas City, paid in $544,769.54 and got back $269,010.19. St. Louis County also left the State a balance paying in $154,741.89 and receiving $77,804.55. Jasper County paid $61,433.72 and got back $39,476.26; Green paid $59,941.24 and received $63,262.74; Texas County paid $8623.75 and received $36,617.99; St. Francois County paid $24,229.84 and got $37,571.56; Barry County paid $12,661.98 and received $31,337.

Artists to Give Ball.

The Paletteers Club, an organization of St. Louis artists, will give a dinner and fancy costume ball at the Planters Hotel Thursday evening, Feb. 24. The ball room will be decorated with colored posters drawn by the members.

How Would She Look With Pimples

You Can Clear Your Complexion Almost Before You Realize It by Using Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

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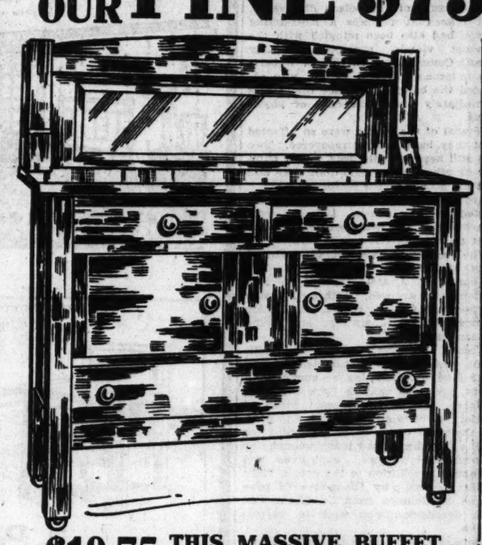
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$25 Buffet, 45-inch; fumed or golden oak..... $14.75
$21 Extension Table, 48-inch top; golden oak or fumed..... $12.75
$18 Extension Table, 46-inch top; golden oak or fumed..... $8.75
$75 Buffet, 72-inch; golden oak or fumed..... $55
$65 Buffet, 62-inch; golden oak..... $35
$24 Extension Table, 54-inch; fumed or golden oak..... $16.50

Bedroom Furniture

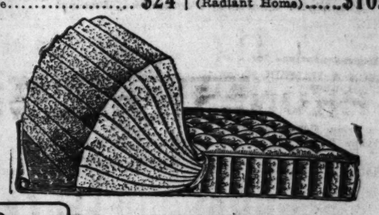
$28 Colonial Dresser, 48-inch top, in mahogany, bird's-eye maple, quarter-sawed oak, high grade..... $22
$225 Colonial Bedroom Suite, solid mahogany—Bed, Dresser, Chiffonier, Toilet Table, Chair, Rocker..... $150
$125 Jacobean Suite, in solid walnut, six pieces—Dresser, Bed, Chiffonier, Toilet Table, Chair and Rocker—sale price..... $85
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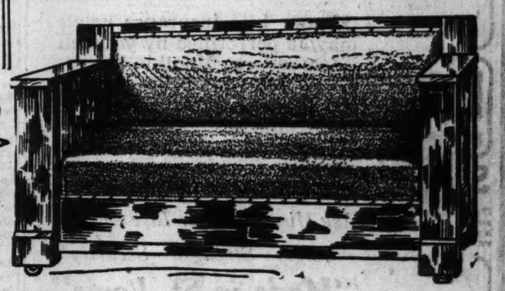
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Yours truly,
MRS. J. R. TURNER,
212 West Dalton St., Hugo, Okla.

Personally appeared before me this 27th day of February, 1915, Mrs. J. R. Turner, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and fact.

J. H. FINCHER,
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Yours truly,
MISS NELLIE TURNER,
212 West Dalton St., Hugo, Okla.

Personally appeared before me this 27th day of February, 1915, Miss Nellie Turner, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

J. H. FINCHER,
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Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do for You

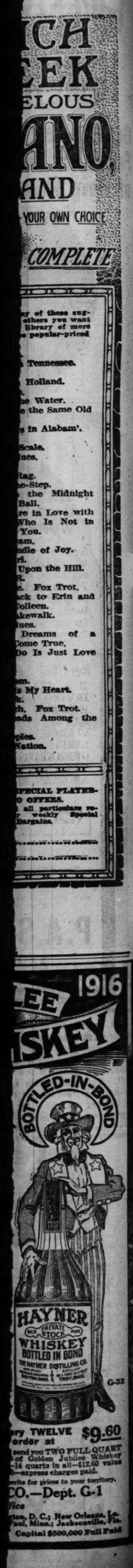
Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the St. Louis Sunday Post-Dispatch. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—ADV.



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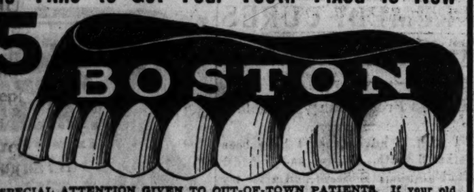
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CHEF AT A CLUB WHERE 100 WERE POISONED HUNTED

Chicago Police Find Vials and Anarchistic Literature in Room of Missing Man.

BANQUET GUESTS WARNED

Health Officers Fear Slow Acting Toxins May Have Been Mixed With Viands.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Virulent poison was found today by city chemists in samples of the soup served at the banquet in honor of Archbishop Mundelein at the University Club Thursday night. The discovery, coupled with the disappearance of a kitchen employe of the club and the finding of similar poison in a private laboratory in his room, together with literature classed as anarchistic, led the police to believe that the illness which overcame more than a hundred of those at the banquet was the result of a deliberate attempt to poison the guests.

The nature of the poison discovered, and fear that perhaps a slow-acting poison had also been mingled with the banquet viands, prompted the City Health Commissioner, Dr. J. D. Robertson, to issue a warning to all who attended the banquet to place themselves immediately under the care of physicians.

Several of the guests were so affected that they have not yet recovered. Two are still kept to their beds, and a number of others today said that they still felt the effects of the poisonous soup.

Archbishop Mundelein was not affected by the poison. He ate very sparingly of the soup, and said today that he had not felt any ill effects.

The absence of Jean Crones, assistant chef at the club, was noted by the manager, H. J. Doherty, and his suspicions were aroused. With a policeman he went to Crone's rooms, and there discovered the laboratory, and found poison flasks.

Crones, according to the club officials, was employed last September, and was fond of discussing economic questions, and was said to have often inveighed against the present order of society with its strata of rich and poor. In the room which he had occupied the police say they found many volumes by anarchistic authors, explosives and weapons in addition to the poison vials.

He was said by the police to have come to Chicago from St. Louis, and his description was sent to various cities.

Among the guests at the banquet who were affected by the poison were judges, bankers, physicians, business men and manufacturers.

No Record That Crones Belonged to St. Louis Waiters' Union.

At the headquarters of the waiters' union, 705 Pine street, it was said yesterday that Jean Crones had never belonged to the St. Louis union. No record of his membership could be found.

GIRL, 16, WHO ELOPED, ASKS JUDGE TO ANNUL MARRIAGE

Mrs. Frances Dyke Ritchie Says She Has Not Seen Husband Since Returning From Clayton.

Mrs. Frances Dyke Ritchie, 16 years old, daughter of A. L. Dyke of 3647 Washington boulevard, appeared in Circuit Judge Taylor's court yesterday and asked that her marriage to William Ritchie, 19 years old, of 1372 Goodfellow avenue, a jeweler, be annulled.

The couple eloped to Clayton and were married Jan. 17 last, by Justice of the Peace Henry Stecker. Then they started back home, but at University City the bride was taken from her husband by Marshal Willmann at the instance of her parents, who had been notified of the wedding. The girl went home with her father.

Mrs. Ritchie testified she had not seen her husband since their parting at University City. She said that a few days later he wrote to her, expressing regret for the trouble he had caused and said they might not see each other for a long time. In the letter, which she said she answered, he addressed her as "Dear Friend."

The girl was a student at Washington University and after her marriage her school books were sent home to her, she told the Court.

WOMEN MUCH INTERESTED IN PRUFROCK - LITTON FACTORY

A number of St. Louis women last week visited the factory and salesrooms of the Prufrock-Litton Furniture Co., which occupies the building at Fourth, St. Charles and Vine streets, and after a long inspection of the various processes used in creating up-to-date furniture, they were reluctant to leave when told that the time for their visit had expired. The women took a keen interest in the work of the 40 upholsterers and watched them closely as they tied the springs of chairs and davenports. Another portion of the work which appeared to interest the women greatly was the work of preparing the layers of hair in the cushions and backs of seats and the manner in which covers are pulled over the hair and fastened.

The Prufrock-Litton Furniture Co. manufactures fine upholstered furniture suitable for living rooms, libraries and parlors. The firm supplies many dealers in New York, Boston, Chicago and other cities. During the semi-annual clearance this week, the management states that it will be pleased to show visitors through the factory and exhibit the work done in preparing their quality of furniture.

Benjamin Field of Collinsville Dies.

Benjamin Field, 48 years old, died in the Harrison hospital in Collinsville Friday of appendicitis. He is survived by his widow, three daughters, Ila, Mildred and Enola, and a son, Clarence.

HEIR IDENTIFIED AS MAN WANTED IN FORGERY CASE

$450,000 Estate Found to Be Waiting for Him When He Is Held as Suspicious Character.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Keith Edward Dalrymple, 23 years old, surprised yesterday by the police, who told him he was the heir to a $450,000 estate in Port Allegheny, Pa., was surprised again today when he was further identified as being a man wanted in Milwaukee for passing forged checks.

According to the police, Dalrymple admitted the second identification as readily as he did the first. The young man was arrested as a suspicious character last night and taken to detective headquarters, where a circular telling of the big estate waiting for him was unearthed.

The Milwaukee identification was made by John Sullivan, chief of the Milwaukee detectives, who today looked over the man in the Chicago detectives bureau while searching for two safe-blowers, and recognized Dalrymple as a man, who, he said, was wanted in Milwaukee for passing a forged check.

The "suspicion" which caused the arrest of Dalrymple yesterday was based entirely upon the fact that he wore flashy clothes. Dalrymple, who is 23 years old, ran away from home at Siloam Springs, Ark., in 1908. His father prospered in the oil business, and removed to Port Allegheny, Pa., where he died four years ago. The runaway, who has wandered from city to city since leaving home, was the heir.

Noted Mathematician Dies.

BRUNSWICK, Germany, Feb. 12.—Dr. J. Wilhelm Richard Dedekind, world famous as a mathematician, died here today, aged 83.

MODIFICATION OF TERMINAL PASSENGER DECREE ARGUED

Company Would Carry Persons to Points Not on Its System—Prohibited in Suit to Dissolve.

Judges Sanborn and Hook, in the United States Court of Appeals here yesterday heard arguments on the Terminal Railroad Association's request for permission to appeal to the Supreme Court for a modification of one of the decrees handed down by that court as a result of the Government's suit to dissolve the Terminal.

This decree provided that the Terminal should be permitted to carry passengers only between points in the company's terminal system.

Judge H. S. Priest, representing the company, argued that this condition should be modified so as to permit carrying passengers to and from points outside the Terminal. The Judges after hearing arguments, took the petition under advisement.

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Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed, nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

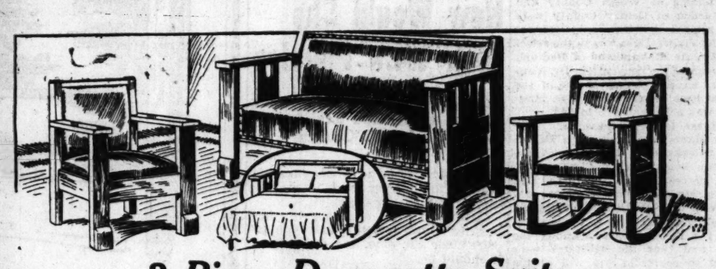
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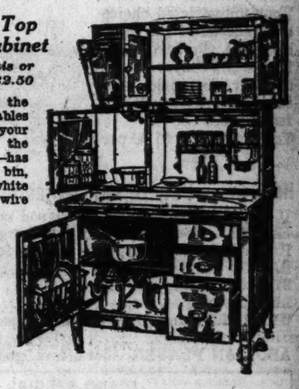
—the construction, material and workmanship of this elegant and massive bed-daveno suite are first-class in every respect. —a single turn reveals the divan as a full-sized bed, complete with a sanitary steel spring adapted for a regular mattress and bedding, —the chair and rocker are made to match the divan. —the pieces are upholstered in genuine Imperial leather..... $34.50

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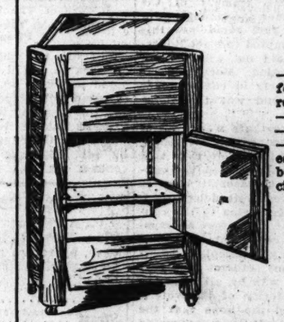
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GRACE CHURCH HOLY CROSS HOUSE, Holy Communion, 7:30, morning prayer with sermon by Rev. Wilbur L. Caswell of St. Thomas Church, New York; evensong, 4:30. (c7)

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Lindell Boulevard and Spring Avenue. Rev. Z. B. Phillips, D. D., Rector. Holy Communion, 7:45 a. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Special Boy Scout service, 11 a. m. Evensong and Address, 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited. (c)

UNION METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Delmar at Grand. Grant A. Robbins, pastor. Lincoln Memorial service at 11 a. m., attended by members of Grand Army of Republic, and Sons of Veterans. Sermon by pastor, "Abraham Lincoln." Evening sermon at 8 o'clock, "Lord, Is It 17" Inspiring music.

Y. W. C. A.

Vesper service under auspices of Girls' Club Department, Sunday, 3:30 p. m., in large gymnasium. Speaker, Miss Gertrude Praek. Subject, "Our Companionship." Processional and special music. Tea and social hour follows. (c)

LECTURES.

LECTURES—Echoes of the War Zone, by Mme. Fernet McCarthy, church society benefit, at Westminster Presbyterian Church, Union and Delmar, Thursday evening, Feb. 17; tickets at Stix, Baer & Fuller, 50c. (c)

SPIRITUALISM.

SPIRITUALISM. Physical manifestation, trumpet developing, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 p. m. Delmar 1971-L.

SPIRITUALISM, 3964 Bartmer avenue. Services, messages, Thursday, 8 p. m. Mrs. Katheryne Graham. (99)

SPIRITUALISM—Circles Tuesday and Thursday evenings, Friday afternoon; receive daily. 4226 Lucky.

SPIRITUALISM. Meeting every Tuesday 2 p. m., Thursday 8 p. m.; home daily. 2931 Cass. Mrs. Johnson.

SPIRITUALIST meeting every Wednesday night, at 8:30; Thursday afternoon, 2:30. 1114A Lucas. (c99)

SPIRITUALISM — Patriotic services, messages, 8 p. m. Wieser's Hall, 2002 East Grand. All welcome.

DIVINE ORDER OF SPIRITUALISTS. Meetings every Thursday, 8 p. m. Mrs. Gray, medium, 4340A Olive street. (c)

CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL UNITY holds their meeting every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Hartmer and Angiersdt, at 3 p. m. All welcome. (c)

SPIRITUALISM. Meetings Sunday and Wednesday afternoons, Nineteenth and Wright; Friday, Geyer and Broadway. Gatillo.

CHURCH OF DIVINE INSPIRATION. Meetings at 4200 Hartmer avenue, Sunday, Wednesday, 2:30. Pastor, Butler. (99)

IDEAL SPIRITUAL SOCIETY. Meetings every Tuesday, 2:30. Medium home daily. Mrs. Rosa, 1525 Carr street.

SPIRITUALISM—Mrs. F. Dettloff will have test circle at reading rooms, Occult Spiritual Society, 3752 Olive street, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.

GOLDEN RULE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH—Lyceum, 1:30. Services, 2:30. Wesley Hall, Twentieth and Grand. Mrs. Connors, pastor.

SPIRITUALISM. Meetings, circle readings, Sundays Tuesdays, Fridays, 8 p. m., also Friday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson, 919 North Compton. (c)

SOCIETY OF SPIRITUAL RESEARCH, 3119 South Broadway. Lyceum 2:30 p. m., lecture 3:30 p. m. Mrs. B. Price, lecturer. (c)

UNIVERSAL SPIRITUALISTS CHURCH. Services 8 p. m. 3882 Olive. Speaking, messages. Mrs. Davis Johnson.

SPIRITUALISM. Meeting Sunday evening, Wednesday 2 p. m., Friday evening. Medium Daniels, 4611A Easton.

SPIRITUALISM. Services Sunday, 3 p. m., Tuesday, 2 to 4 p. m., Friday, 8 p. m. Mrs. M. La Barre, pastor, 2004 East Grand.

CHURCH PROGRESSIVE SPIRITUALISTS—Services, Plumbers' Hall, Thirteenth and Benton, 2:30 p. m. Clara Riedell.

OCCULT SPIRITUAL SOCIETY, 3752 Olive, meets this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Special lecture by Mr. Ellis, test by different mediums. All welcome. Admission free.

SOUTH SIDE SPIRITUAL CHURCH —603 Marceau street. Holds services every Sunday and Tuesday afternoon at 2 p. m. Message given by Mrs. E. Ecker, associate minister.

NEW THOUGHT SPIRITUAL CHURCH, Sunday, 8 p. m., 3431 Franklin. Admission free. Mrs. Freeman. Services Tuesday 2:30, Thursday evening.

CHRISTIAN SPIRITUAL ASSOCIATION holds services Sunday and Thursday evenings 8:30, Thursday afternoons 2:30. Lectures. Mrs. Manley, 823½ North Compton.

FIRST CHURCH FRATERNAL SPIRITUALIST holds services 4700 Easton, Marcus car, Sunday 2:30, evening 8 o'clock. Address by Rev. Mary Hunter; messages by our medium. Answer to written questions will be given.

DEATHS

Death notices, first 8 lines or less, $1; extra line 15c; memoriams etc., 20c per line.

ANWANDER—Entered into rest on Thursday, Feb 10, 1916, at 4 p. m., Barbara Anwander (nee Vogt), beloved wife of Jacob Anwander and dear mother of Otilia Anwander, at the age of 60 years. Funeral from family residence, 3727 Morgan avenue, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Anthony's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Friends invited to attend. Carriages.

ARMSTRONG—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 2:30 a. m., Nellie F. Armstrong (nee Wilson), beloved wife of H. C. Armstrong, and dear mother of Irma and daughter of Mrs. D. Colvin, and sister of Leota Wilson and Arthur Colvin.

Funeral services at residence, 4050 Page boulevard, Sunday, Feb. 13, at 3 p. m. Funeral Monday, Feb. 14, at 7 a. m., to Louisville, Mo.

Waterloo, Cedar Rapids (Io.) and Houston (Tex.) papers please copy. (c7)

BARTNICK—Entered into rest, suddenly, Friday noon, Feb. 11, 1916, Frank Bartnick, beloved father of Jake, Joseph Bartnick, Mrs. Sarah Bartnick) and Mrs. Dora (nee Bartnick).

Funeral from residence, Sunday, 9 a. m.

Memphis (Tenn.) papers please copy.

DEATHS

BROCKLAND—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 4:10 p. m., Mrs. Elizabeth Brockland (nee Overbeck), relict of August Brockland, dear mother of Mrs. Anna Boedeker, of Sister M. Leon and Sister M. Ambrose, SS. de Notre Dame; Henry G., John B., Catherine, August J. and Joseph F. Brockland and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and aunt, after a lingering illness, aged 74 years 11 months and 15 days.

The funeral takes place on Monday, the 14th inst., at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 1827 Hogan street, to St. Liborius' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. (c7)

CAMP—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 10:30 p. m., after a lingering illness, Edward A. Camp, beloved son of Mary and the late William Camp, and brother of John P. Camp and Mrs. R. L. Russell.

Funeral private from Wagoner chapel, Tuesday, Feb. 15.

CARPENTER—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, in his seventy-fourth year, James B. Carpenter, beloved husband of Delia A. Carpenter and dear father of Mrs. W. W. Howell, Mrs. M. C. Younglove, Mrs. A. J. Austin, Mrs. J. M. Tompsett and Fred Green Carpenter.

Funeral on Sunday, Feb. 13, at 2:30 p. m., from the Alexander funeral parlors, 2835 Olive street, under the auspices of Ransom Post, G. A. R. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Private. Deceased was a member of Ransom Post No. 191, G. A. R.; Military Order of the Loyal Legion and Compton Hill Council, Royal Arcanum. (c7)

CUNNINGHAM—On Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 2:20 p. m., Thomas Cunningham, son of P. M. Cunningham and the late Mary Cunningham (nee Cunningham), brother of John and Corine Cunningham and Mrs. Phelps, Mrs. S. Lamme, Mrs. G. Bruno, Mrs. C. Roberts, aged 32 years.

Funeral will take place Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., at Cullen & Kelly's funeral chapel, 1416 North Taylor avenue, to Visitation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c)

DIERKER—At residence, 3214A University street, on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 10:40 a. m., Gerhard Dierker, aged 72 years, dearly beloved husband of Louise Dierker (nee Prigge), and dear father of Edward and Albert Dierker and Mrs. D. Recker and Mrs. William Quernheim, and our father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from William F. Paschedag's chapel, 2826 North Grand avenue, on Sunday, Feb. 13, at 2:30 p. m., to Friedens Cemetery. Motor. Please omit flowers. Deceased was a member of Germania Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F. (7)

DRACH—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 2:30 p. m., Edward C. Drach, beloved husband of Sybilla Drach (nee Bermel), father of Edward R., Lucien, Eugene J., Walter G., Charles A., William C. and Lillian A. Steimke (nee Drach), and grandfather of Ruth Steimke, after a brief illness, at the age of 57 years.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

GRIMES—On Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 8:30 a. m., Fannie S. Grimes (nee Shultz), beloved wife of A. O. Grimes, sister of John R., Charles F., Edith and Mabel Shultz and Mrs. J. A. Ferguson.

Funeral from family residence, 2846 Shenandoah avenue, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery. (c)

GROTE—On Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, Katarina Grote (nee Potting), relict of Herman J. Grote and dear mother of George J., John H. and Edgar A. Grote, Mrs. Charles Ritter, Mrs. Joseph O. Strunk and Mrs. Charles Daumflier, aged 66 years.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 2913 Rutger street, to St. Henry's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Carriages. (c7)

HAINES—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 6:35 p. m., Elizabeth Haines (nee Ewald), beloved wife of the late Thomas Haines, mother of Robert, Thomas and Harry Haines, Mrs. E. P. Schulte, Mrs. James McGrath, Mrs. F. J. Faulstick and the late Richard T. Haines and Mrs. John Weinig.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1818 Rutger street, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., to Holy Angels' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c)

HOEKEL—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 9:00 a. m., Mary Hoekel, beloved mother of Mrs. Carrie Timborius (nee Hoekel), and Frank Hoekel, mother-in-law and grandmother, after a brief illness, at the age of 62 years.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 324 Angelica street, to Holy Trinity Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c)

HOENEMEYER—On Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 10 a. m., Cathrine Hoenemeyer (nee Schwentker), beloved mother of Hy. Hoenemeyer and Mrs. Herm. Olges, and our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, aged 82 years and 2 months.

Funeral from Gerken's funeral parlor, 2931 South Jefferson avenue, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 a. m., to St. Francis de Sales' Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Carriages.

KAEMPERNOLTE—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 6:15 a. m., Anthony Kaempernolte, dearly beloved son of Laura Kaempernolte (nee Graff) and the late Henry Kaempernolte, and our dear brother and grandchild, after a lingering illness, at the age of 14 years and 4 months.

The funeral will take place from residence, 816 Bremen avenue, on Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 1:30 p. m., thence to Frieden Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Carriages. (c)

KIRBY—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 3 p. m., John Kirby, beloved husband of Annie Kirby (nee Hayes), father of Irving, Ella, Anna and Catherine Kirby, brother-in-law of Daniel and Officer John Hayes.

Funeral from the family residence, 1908 Semple avenue, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Edward's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Clover Leaf Lodge No. 1832, Knights and Ladies of Honor, Burlington and Davenport (Io.) papers please copy. (c)

LOWTHER—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 3:10 a. m. Florence Richard Lowther, dearly beloved son of Robert and Margaret Lowther (nee McAuliffe), and dear brother of Robert Jr., and Warren Lowther, and dear grandson of Florence and Ellen McAuliffe, at the age of 10 years 3 months and 13 days.

Funeral will take place from family residence, 5737 North Market street, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 1:30 p. m., thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c7)

LUNT—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 11 a. m., Virginia Anabell Lunt, dearly beloved daughter of Harry and Belle Lunt (nee Friel), and our dear sister.

Funeral from family residence, 4705 McMillan avenue, Monday, at 2 p. m., thence to Calvary Cemetery.

San Francisco and New York City papers please copy.

McKOWN—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 7:30 a. m., Wm C. McKown, beloved husband of Mellie C. McKown (nee Wright), and dear father of Mrs. Albert N. Smith, Mrs. J. M. Hand, Mrs. E. L. Rosselot, Ervin and Clifford McKown, and brother of James E. McKown.

Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Hand, 4290 Cook avenue, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 2 p. m. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c7)

McARTHUR—Entered into rest Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, Mrs. Esther Mary McArthur, dearly beloved mother of Anna and Paul McArthur and Mrs. W. P. Grayson (nee McArthur).

Funeral from the Alexander parlors, 2835 Olive street, Monday, Feb. 14, at 2:30 p. m. (c)

MARANDON—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 7 a. m., Hypolite G. Marandon, beloved husband of Marie Marandon (nee Coln), dear father of Alice Selyaggi (nee Marandon), Melida Besancenez (nee Marandon), George and Henry Marandon, our dear grandfather and father-in-law.

Funeral services Monday, Feb. 14, at 10 a. m., from the Kron chapel, 2707 North Grand avenue, to Calvary Cemetery. Carriages.

Paris (France) papers please copy.

MEEHAN—Entered into rest Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 1:15 p. m., William D. Meehan, beloved husband of Bridget Meehan (nee Burke), father of Mrs. Ellen McCarthy, Mrs. Johanna Jones and the late Dennis and Timothy Meehan, and our dear uncle.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 4458 Labadie avenue, Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., to Holy Rosary Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

PETER—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 9:30 p. m., Henry Peter, beloved husband of Minnie Peter (nee Hildebrand), and dear father of John H. Peter, Elsie N. Peter, Henry Peter, and dear father-in-law and grandfather of Pearl Peter and John Henry Peter Jr., in the age of 64 years.

Due notice of funeral.

RUMSEY—Entered into rest Feb. 12, 1916, Mrs. Moses Rumsey (nee Marion Van Court), beloved mother of Mrs. Mr. Lee M. Rumsey, Mrs. D. B. Delavan, Mrs. Pierre Cartier and Mrs. Erwin P. Hills.

Funeral, Sunday, Feb. 13, at 2:30 p. m. from her late residence, 39 Portland place. Motor. (c7)

SCHWEDTMANN—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 10:25 p. m., John Schwedtmann, beloved husband of Hattie Schwedtmann (nee Donnelli), son of Henry and Elizabeth Schwedtmann, brother of Henry Jr., William and August Schwedtmann, Theresa Gast (nee Schwedtmann), Elizabeth Schuchardt (nee Schwedtmann), son-in-law of Peter and Caroline Donnelli, at the age of 30 years.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 14, at 2 p. m., from the residence, 1450A North Twenty-second street, to New Picker Cemetery. Motor.

SIMPSON—Entered into rest Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 9:15 p. m., Marion Rose Simpson, dearly beloved daughter of Joseph and Mary Simpson, and sister of Joseph L. Simpson.

Funeral from family residence, 3626 Hebert street. Due notice of funeral.

STANGE—On Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, Harry F. Stange, beloved son of Ferdinand and Anna Stange (nee Klart), and dear brother of Ida C. Stange, and our dear grandson, aged 4 years and 11 months.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 14, at 2:30 p. m., from residence, 3236 Potomac street, to St. Matthew's Cemetery. Motor. (c7)

STEINIGER—On Thursday, Feb. 10, 1916, at 12:30 p. m., George Steiniger, beloved husband of Annie Steiniger (nee Nolte), father of George J. Steiniger Jr., son of Kunegunda Steiniger and the late Fred Steiniger, our dear brother and brother-in-law.

Remains will be taken from Arthur J. Donnelly's funeral parlors, Twenty-first and Wash streets, Monday, Feb. 14, at 6 a. m., to Union Station. Mass and interment at 11 o'clock at Morrison, Mo.

WATERS—Entered into rest Thursday, Feb. 10, 1916, at Denver, Colo., Albert Waters, beloved husband of Grace Waters, father of Irma and Guy Waters, aged 38 years.

Funeral from residence, 1515 Locust street, Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 2:30 p. m.

WHELAN—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 10:10 a. m., John W. Whelan, beloved brother of Michael and Dennis Whelan, Mrs. Mary Murphy, Catherine McCort and Mrs. James D. Ryan.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, Michael Whelan, 3510 St. Louis avenue, on Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Teresa's Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c)

WILKENS—Entered into rest Saturday, Feb. 12, 1916, at 8 p. m., after a brief illness, Catherine Wilkens, beloved sister of Rose and Dorothy Wilkens, Mrs. Helen Anterhaus, Mrs. Anna Zimmer, Hermann and John Wilkens and our dear sister-in-law, niece and aunt.

Time of funeral from residence, 2751 Wyoming street, will be announced later.

WIESEMANN—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 11, 1916, at 6 a. m., Catherine Wiesemann (nee Hofmann), dear mother of William Wiesemann, and Louise Schmitt (nee Wiesemann), and our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, at the age of 66 years.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 14, at 2 p. m., from son's residence, 4332 Juniata street, to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Carriages. (c7)

Notice.

Officers and members of the Mound City Livery Men and Undertakers' Association of St. Louis are requested to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Brockland, beloved wife of the late August Brockland, Monday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 1827 Hogan street.

JOHN M. CLEMENT, Secretary.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my many relatives and friends for their kind consideration and condolence shown me in my sad bereavement in the death of my dear wife, Viola L. Zehss.

WALTER A. ZEISS. (c)

Card of Thanks.

I hereby wish to extend my sincere thanks to all my relatives and many friends and the pallbearers and tenants for their sympathy and kindness shown me in my late sad bereavement in the loss of my dearly beloved husband, John H. Kohring; my personal thanks to the Rev. H. Walz and the Rev. F. Piehler for their kind words of consolation; also for the many beautiful floral offerings. The bereaved wife.

MRS. BERTHA KOHRING. (c)

DEATHS

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the loss of our dear wife and mother, Amelia Gross; also to the Rev. Dr. Spitz.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to the Rev. Simon and the employes of Hamilton-Brown sole leather department, and the pallbearers, also relatives and friends for floral offerings and kindness shown us during the sad bereavement in the loss of my dearly beloved husband, Mattewa Lerche. WIFE.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to our many relatives and friends for their beautiful floral offerings and sympathy shown us during said bereavement in the loss of our dear son and brother, Joseph P. Pollock.

MR. AND MRS. H. POLLOCK AND FAMILY. (c)

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to my relatives and friends for the sympathy and kindness shown me in the sad bereavement in the loss of my dear husband, Charles Pelikan, and for the beautiful floral offerings, especially the Landau Grocery Co. and employes, and the Rice, Stix Shirt Co., also the Rev. Elits.

MRS. EMMA PELIKAN.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the reverend clergy of the SS. Peter and Paul's parish, to the many relatives and friends for the kindness shown us and for the beautiful floral offerings during the bereavement in the loss of our dear beloved mother, Elizabeth M. Schnelker.

THE BROTHERS AND DAUGHTERS.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to our relatives and many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during our sad bereavement in the loss of our dearly beloved son; also for the beautiful floral offerings. We especially thank Rev. William Hackmann for his consoling words, and the doctor and undertaker for their kind services rendered, and many friends who were unable to attend on account of being strictly private.

THOMAS E. AND KATHERINE HARRIS.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends and the employes of the Crane company for their kindness, for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the late sad bereavement in the loss of my dearly beloved husband and our dear father, Joseph Crane, also for the personal thanks to the Rev. Father Doyle and Father Butler of St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, whose services at the church were deeply appreciated; also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. MARGARET GALVIN AND CHILDREN. (c)

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my most heartfelt thanks to all my relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown to me in the late sad loss and bereavement of my dear husband, James W. Hughes, who departed this life on Monday, Feb. 7, 1916. Especially do I thank Father McMann and Father Dooley of the Sacred Heart Church; also the St. Louis Police Department, and all his friends and relatives for the many beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. EDNA HUGHES, Wife.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends for their sympathy and kindness shown us in our late sad bereavement in the loss of our beloved brother, William Gruenewald; our personal thanks to Rev. F. J. Kraft for his consoling words, to Undertaker August W. Bensiek for his efficient service, also to the pallbearers and the members of St. Louis United Council No. 19 and the St. Louis Plattdeutsche Club and the Bartenders' Union, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY.

In Memoriam.

In memory of our dear mother and beloved wife's birthday, Caroline Boss, Feb. 13, 1916. Sadly missed by

FERDINAND BOSS AND SONS.

In Memoriam.

In loving but sad remembrance of Kathryne Taylor (nee Bauer), who departed so suddenly one year ago, Feb. 14, 1916. Sadly missed by mother and sisters. (c)

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of Estella Seib, who fell asleep Feb. 13, 1915.

Where the sunshine loves to linger,
And the rain drops gently fall,
Sleeping there so peacefully,
Waiting for us all.

BERTHA AND GEORGE KLEIN AND JACOB FAMILY.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mrs. Clothilda Thiel, who departed this life one year ago, Feb. 10, 1915.

Sad and sudden was the call
For our dear mother, loved by all.
We little thought that on that day
She would be called so far away.

Sadly missed by her CHILDREN.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of Thomas Bressmer, who passed away one year ago, Feb. 7, 1915.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

Sadly missed by
WIFE AND CHILDREN.

In Memoriam.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our late sad bereavement in the loss of our dear wife and our dear mother and mother-in-law, Marie Petersen. The Pfaelzer Frauen Verein, Schwaben Frauen Verein, Hertha Club, for their kind services, the Rev Hy Dreas for his kind words of comfort and consolation. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear grandmother, Catherine W. Meyer, who departed this life one year ago, Feb. 13, 1915.

WILLIAM, HARRY, MINNIE KNOLLMAN.

In Memoriam.

In affectionate memory of my beloved husband, William Fox, who died Feb. 12, 1915.

The month of February again is here,
To me the saddest of the year;
It took upon the twelfth day
My darling husband from me away.

Sadly missed by
MRS. LULU FOX.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Ida E. Jones of Baldwin, Ill., who died Feb. 8, 1912.

A loving mother, kind and true,
No friends like her on earth we find.
God called her home, it was His will,
But in our hearts she lingers still.
For all of us she did her best,
May God grant her eternal rest.

Sadly missed by
HUSBAND AND CHILDREN. (c)

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of my dear husband and our dear father, William H. Priesmeyer, who died Feb. 11, 1914.

Just two years ago you left us,
How we miss you, father dear;
You are gone, but not forgotten,
By the ones who loved you dear.

Sadly missed by
WIFE AND TWO SONS, WILLIAM AND JOSEPH PRIESMEYER.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of my dear wife and our mother, Josephine Brocker, who was called away very suddenly Feb. 13, 1915.

We have gone to your grave
Since your spirit has fled,
Where neath the green turf
You lay with the dead.
Our heart shall be sad,
But our prayers shall not cease
Till forever we meet
In the Kingdom of Peace.

THE FAMILY.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our darling daughter, Viola, who departed this life three years ago, Feb. 16, 1913.

Fondly we think of you, Viola,
With thoughts that are prompted by love,
And oft in the deep silent slumber
We dream of our loved one above.

Sadly missed by your parents and brother.

MR. AND MRS. H. C. WICTHAUPT AND BROTHER MERRY.

In Memoriam.

In memory of my dear wife, our mother, daughter and sister, Tillie Knopp, who departed this life Feb. 12, 1914.

Two years ago you left us,
How we miss you, Tillie dear,
And remember all your kindness
As we drop a silent tear.

Sadly missed by
HUSBAND, CHILDREN, MOTHER, SISTERS AND BROTHERS.

In Memoriam.

In memory of my dearly beloved mother, Mrs. Minnie Baumann (nee Depp), who passed away Feb. 14, 1908.

Just eight years ago tomorrow
Since my dear mother passed away.
A loving mother, true and kind,
No friend on earth like her I'll find.
God called her home, it was his will,
But in my heart she lingers still.
For me she did her very best,
May God grant her eternal rest.

Sadly missed by her daughter,
MRS. LINDER.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear papa, James F. Bold, who entered into rest on Feb. 11th.

Folded neath the green ivy
On the starlit western hill,
Free from life and all its clamor
Thou art resting, white and still.

Weary hands, like withered roses,
Folded o'er thy breast
And the hands that hard have labored
Now are clasped, in perfect rest.

Sadly missed by wife and sons,
MRS. M. BOLD, THEODORE AND EARL BOLD, 1487 Hodiamont av. (c)

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mrs. Ellen Worthington McFeniand, who departed this life one year ago, Feb. 7, 1915.

Mother dear, you were so good, so kind and true,
As the days go by we think of you;
You are gone, but not forgotten,
Your memory shall never fade;
Our hearts will always linger, dear mother,
Round the grave where you are laid.

Sadly missed by
SONS AND DAUGHTERS.

In Memoriam.

In memory of our dearly beloved father, Louis Soucy, who passed away Feb. 13, 1910.

Just six years ago today
Since our dear father passed away,
On Lord, keep grass on the grave
That lies beneath the wide and starry skies.

Keep sweet with sleep and give him rest
Whose hands are folded on his breast.
A loving father, true and kind,
No friends on earth like him we'll find.

God called him home, it was His will,
But in our hearts he lingers still.
For all of us he did his best,
May God grant him eternal rest.

Sadly missed by his wife and children.

MRS. LOUIS SOUCY AND CHILDREN.

In Memoriam.

In affectionate memory of our dear beloved brother, William Neuner, who died Feb. 9, 1915.

Time rolls on, it will not stay;
How we felt since that sad day,
With one so loving, kind and true,
How hard it was to part with you.

In the graveyard and softly sleeping,
Where the flowers gently wave,
Lies the one we loved so dearly
In his lonely, silent grave.

Peaceful be your sleep, dear brother;
'Tis sweet to breathe your name;
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.

All the world is gray with shadows,
Clouds have dimmed the sunset's glow;
Just one year, dear, since you left us,
Yet it seems so long ago.

We often sit and think of you,
When all alone,
For memory is the only thing
Grief can call its own.

Sadly missed by his loving
SISTERS AND BROTHERS.

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CABANNE THEATER, Goodfellow and Suburban Right of Way, tonight, Jackie Saunders in "The Heartbreakers." 3 acts; "Little Sister of the Poor," one-act drama; new Pictorial News and Bud Comedy, Monday, "The Evangelist," with Gladys Hanson, 4 acts; Tuesday, Howard Estabrook, in "Officer 666;" Wednesday, third episode "Mary Page," "From Out the Past," 5-act Vitagraph, with Della Bruce and Edith Storey in one-act comedy. Friday, "Who Killed Joe Maryon," 4 acts, with Betty Gray; Flora Finch in one-act comedy. Friday, "The Iron Will," 3 acts; "Cut Wires—The Hazards of Helen;" Bud Comedy and special show for the children, Saturday, Arthur Hoops and Alma Hanlon in "The Devil's Prayer Book," 5 acts and a Vim Comedy. (c)

LINDELL AND THEATER—Cherokee and Ohio. Today one big show continuous, 2:30 to 10:45, 3 big acts vaudeville and photoplays; added attraction matinee, amateur contest; Monday, one big show, 14 reels, 7 to 10:45 p. m., Richard Mansfield's greatest success, "Old Heidelberg," and "Pickle Patty's Pall," both Triangle plays. "The Boundary Riders" and seventh episode of "The Girl and Gang" series, entitled "Helen's Wild Ride," 14 reels in all. (c)

CINDERELLA THEATER, Cherokee, Iowa; today, Mary Pickford in "Madam Butterfly;" special matinee of 12 reels; Monday, George Sauth in "Saved From the Harem;" also third chapter of "The Strange Case of Mary Page;" Tuesday, Kathleen Williams in "Sweet Alysum;" also

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COLLECTOR-SALESMAN—Wants position with first-class house; best references. Box B-159, Post-Dispatch. (7)

COLLEGE STUDENT—Wants employment for Saturdays and Sundays; aged 24; neat; best references; can qualify for most anything. Box F-187, Post-Dispatch.

COMPOSITOR—Sit. by young man; 3 years' experience. Box H-24, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Position by colored young man, or house work; good habits; best references; Bell phone Webster 238J.

COUPLE—Sits. by man and wife, middle-aged; no children; man handy at all kinds of work; county preferred. Box R-61, P.-D.

DAIRYMAN—Sit. by experienced, allround man. Phone Lindell 4004R.

DRAUGHTSMAN—Sit. by experienced. Address 15 N. Sarah. Heinz. (10)

DRAUGHTSMAN—And carpenter, sober and honest; go any place. Box D-206, P.-D.

DRAFTSMAN—Sit.; mechanical or architectural; high school and 1 year's experience. Box B-199, Post-Dispatch. (2)

DRAFTSMAN—Sit.; mechanical engineer; experienced; mechanical tracer and detailer; $50. Box F-270, Post-Dispatch.

DRAFTSMAN—Graduate, 3 years' practical experience; wants permanent job; will start as tracer if chance for advancement is good; salary not main object at present. Knight, 3966 Cook.

DRIVER—Sit.; sober; single or double; born and raised in city; single. Box D-89, P.-D.

DRUGGIST—Sit.; relief work for today by good registered druggist. Delmar 1120.

DRUGGIST—Sit. by city or country; steady or relief; graduate; sober. Box F-262, Post-Dispatch.

DRUGGIST—Sit. by registered, relief work; can furnish best of references; phone Forest 4833.

DRUGGIST—Sit.; registered; capable manager; years' experience; best references as to ability, honesty, etc. Pharmacist, Lock Box 543, city.

DRUGGIST—Sit. by registered, desires relief work, Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday; steady position preferred. Box F-264, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICIAN—Sit.; A1 on wiring, winding and repairing plant work preferred. Box D-202, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICAL HELPER—Sit.; experienced on house wiring; small wages accepted. Box D-91, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICIAN—Sit. by young man, 9 years' experience; wiring, installing, maintenance. Box D-240, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICIAN—Sit., elevators and maintenance, Box D-168, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICIAN—Licensed, wants houses to wire; estimates cheerfully furnished; reasonable. G. F. B., 616 W. Marceau.

ELECTRICIAN—Sit. as house electrician or engineer by an allround mechanic, who can do all kinds of repair work; expert electrician and telephone man; 16 years' experience and four years' technical training; don't drink or smoke. Box J-83, Post-Dispatch. (1)

ENGRAVER—Copper and steel plate; 6 years' experience; references. Phone Riverside 96.

FAMILIAR—Sit.; to look after farm; general farm work and care of stock; give references. Address 2454 Bernaye.

FARMER—Sit. by experienced, middle-aged, single; allround good worker. Box D-130, Post-Dispatch.

FARMER—Experienced, reliable, wishes employment on farm; also manage. Box D-121, Post-Dispatch.

FARMER—Experienced; position on farm as foreman; small business. Box B-152, Post-Dispatch.

FARMER—Sit. by strictly sober, well experienced, single German-American, of 30; steady work; capable taking charge; state particulars. Box B-87, Post-Dispatch.

FARMHANDS—Sit. by German on small farm; experienced with horses, cows, poultry, vegetables; good dairyman and milker. Joe Brilliant, 1630 Carr st.

FIREMAN—Sit. on cement or concrete construction. C. E. Bowden, Box 682, Eldin, Mo.

FIREMAN—Sit. by young married man; employed nights; would like change; 8 years' experience; best of references; strictly sober; must be steady work. Gus Panagos, 2117A Salisbury.

FLORIST AND GARDENER—Sit.; 12 years at general greenhouse work; good grower and propagator; capable of taking charge; best references. Box F-107, P.-D.

ERECTING ENGINEER—Sit. on machinery; 20 years' experience. Box D-117, P.-D. (2)

FARMHANDS—Sit. wanted by allround gardener and florist; highest references. Box F-60, Post-Dispatch.

GARDENER—Sit.; for country place; competent and trustworthy; full knowledge of greenhouse, vegetables, etc.; 12 years' experience; best refs. Box D-285, P.-D.

GENERAL DECORATOR—Sit.; paper hanger, painter, furniture repairer and refinisher; wants position where general mechanic is needed; steady; sober; best references. Box D-157, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY CLK.—Sit. by experienced; best references. Box D-106, Post-Dis.

GROCERY CLERK—Sit. by young married man, must have work, years' experience; best references. H. Delmar 2091J.

GROCERY CLERK—Sit. by young man, 21; a good salesman that can handle phone orders; best references from last employer. Box B-46, Post-Dispatch.

HARNESS MAKER—Sit. by a young single man; honest and reliable; capable of running small shop. Write J. B. Eichen, 502 Julia st., Belleville, Ill.

HOTEL CLERK—Sit., experienced; best references. Box D-301, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Or janitor; sit.; references. Bomont 2419. Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Sit., married, middle-aged man; honest, reliable; good references. Box D-107, Post-Dispatch. (7)

HOUSEMAN—Sit.; four years' experience in firing and plumbing. W. Sholick, 929 Leonard st.

JANITOR—Sit.; or watchman; strictly sober; references. Box R-288, Post-Dispatch. (7)

JANITOR—Sit. by sober, married man; window washer. Box B-173, Post-Dispatch. (7)

JANITOR—Sit., by colored man; handy with tools; good references. Phone Delmar 1938. (2)

JANITOR—Sit. by allround colored man; or elevator; do repairing; references. Lindell 2073R.

JANITOR—Sit.; best city references; 6 years at last employment; understands straight and down-draft boilers; married; no children. 3527 Sevoy court. Forest 3073W.

LEDGER CLERK—Young man of 22 wishes position; or general office work; can furnish best references. C. R., 620 Sidney.

LICENSED ENGINEER—Sit.; can handle steam, electric and refrigerating machinery; middle-aged, sober and reliable; good mechanic. Box R-197, Post-Dispatch.

LINOTYPE OPERATOR—Desires day job in Missouri or Illinois; 6 years' experience; best of habits; union. Box F-37, Post-Dis.

MACHINIST APPRENTICE—Sit. with experience on lathe drill and punch press. Henry Emken, 1448 N. 18th.

MACHINIST—Sit. by first-class, lathe or bench; experienced on close work; expert on small die work. Box D-111, Post-Dis.

MAN—Young, married, wants work a few hours evenings. Box D-263, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit., office or store work. Delmar 3959J. 1246A Walton.

MAN—Sit. by young, driver or any kind of work; good references. 1010A N. 20th st.

MAN—Sit. by single, 40; wants work of any kind. C. Mixner, 4215 Blair.

MAN—Sit. by young, to learn to tend bar; reasonable wages. Box B-134, Post-Dis. (1)

MAN—Young; married, wishes position as cigar clerk; A1 references. Box D-183, P.-D.

MAN—Sit. by young German; any work; city or country. Fassel, 1

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—Sit. by elderly German ...ced, references; strong, ...tch.

—Sit. by widow with ... Mrs. Scott, 4226A Dun...

—Sit.; unincumbered; ... or motherless home. ...

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—Sit. by neat, refined, com... unincumbered, German, Prot... no laundry; references ... Dispatch.

—Sit., by neat, young ... cook and manage; is ... no triflers. Box E-226.

—Sit., by woman with ... good home; references. ... Aid Society, 911 Locust st.

—Woman, 38 years old, ...osition for respectable party ... without; city only. Box D-...

—Sit.; neat, efficient young ... trained child, 5; in ... adults; references. Box F-...

—Sit. by intelligent South... woman; references; strictly ...er by mail. Ella Brain, 2225 ...

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—A childless widow desires ...ent, children's home or ...ent, or companion to an in... cal nurse; good cook and an... saver; reasonable wages. Box ...

—Sit. by young woman, ge... ...with adults. 4458A Farlin...

—Sit. by colored, general ...d cooking; best references. ...

—Sit., housework or cook... family; references. Ethel ...line.

—Sit. by middle-aged woman ... Mrs. A. Kohlmann, 2021 ...

—Middle-aged woman wishes ... housework; small family; ... wide work; $5 per week. Del...

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...young; experienced as biller, ...bookkeeper and stenographer. ...

...with boy, 6; more for good ...sh wages; Cass car. Call or ...

...thoroughly experienced in col... able of keeping own corre... ...ence; $15 to $18 per week. ...H-260, Post-Dispatch.

...gent, competent, middle-... ...assistant; practical nurse ...invalid; refs. Box R-76, P.-D.

...GRAPHER—Desires position ...and can furnish typewriter ...build a reason. Box ...

—Sit. by first-class, any day; ...Mary Stuart, Somont 1078.

—Sit. by colored laundry ...ity references. Lindell 5098.

—Sit.; any day in week. Bo...

—German woman wants wash... ...ing. Luddman, 1723 S. 9th.

—Sit.; bundle washing to bring ...Box ...

—Sit. by woman take home or ...12th.

—Sit.; colored; 2 or 3 days out ...brought home. 3223 Spencer pl.

—Sit. to take washing home. ...Box ...

—Wants work four days; cook... ...family. Etta, 2912A Laclede.

—Sit. by colored; or cleaning; ...Somont 2042.

—Sit. by first-class colored; ref... ...mont 586.

—Sit. by colored, Monday at ...Somont 2640W.

—Sit. by first-class, Monday at ...208 West Belle. Lindell 1048.

—Sit.; washing and ironing at ... Mrs. Rose, 3002 N. 12th.

—Sit. by woman; Sunday morning ...ll attend.

—First-class; call after 9:30 a. ...2927 Clemens.

—Sit. by colored girl, or clean... Somont 2861R.

—Sit. by first-class; call Ida ...4048 West Belle. Lindell 1046.

—Sit. by white, first part of ...ences. Central 9772R.

—Sit. by honest, crime honest ...Somont 2406.

—Sit. by experienced colored ... Call Alice, Lindell 3896R.

—Sit. by first-class colored; ... and Thursday; give references.

—Sit. by first-class, colored, ...day. Wednesday; references.

—Wants bundles to bring home; ...references. Box ...

—Sit. by middle-aged woman; ...Mrs. A. Kohlmann, 2021 ...

—Sit. by experienced white ...under 14; take home; excellent ...able. Lindell 968W.

—Sit.; wish to serve German ...laundress; give references. Em...

—Sit. by first-class Southern ...at three days of each week. ...

—Sit. by first-class, colored ...place; any day. Call Somont ...

—Sit. by colored; general ...ing out by day; references. So...

—Sit. by first-class colored ...Tuesday and Wednesday. Somont ...

—Sit., first-class Monday and ...; take bundles home; reliable. ...

—Sit. by good colored Tuesday ...Monday. Cabany 1...

—Sit.; Monday, Tuesday ... employed, or old couple. Mrs. Brown, 4774 Ledue st.

—Sit. by lady to do washing or ...housework by the day. Call Somont ...

—Sit. by colored, or house... Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, ...W.

—Sit. by day or small bundles ...references; call after 6. Lindell 4172W.

—Sit. by German woman to do ...and ironing. 2002 S. 24 st., 2...

—Sit. by first-class white ...shing bring home; gents' work ...

—Sit.; expert; German; first ... seventeen pl. preferred. ...

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—Sit. by good German; wash ... Monday; also cleaning. Ger... Montgomery st.

—Sit. by experienced colored ... or cleaning by day; references. Mrs. Wells, Somont 1250.

—Sit. to do cleaning or any kind of day work, need work. Call or write 1211 St. Louis.

—Sit. by first-class, Monday ...Somont 1...

—Sit. by colored; or cleaning ... Call or can't go; can't ...

—Wants bundles to bring home ... by day. Call Somont 1457.

—Sit. by good colored; good ...stations. Call Cabany 1...

—Sit.; colored; first 3 days ... bundles taken home. Lissie, ...

—Woman with references ... to take home or go out ... 3887 S. 24th. Phone 3446.

—Sit. washing or bundles ... home; half day; call Somont ...

—Sit., experienced; colored; ... to bring home; references. ...

—Sit. by experienced, first-... today and Tuesday; references. ... 4077 S. Garrison.

—Sit. German-American woman ... washing and ironing. Central ...

—Sit. by colored; Wednesday ... references. Somont 1949.

—Sit. by first-class colored ... call after 6 o'clock. ...

—Sit. by colored experienced ... wants small bundles; reliable; ... leave address, Olive 2...

—Sit.; experienced; any three ... week; $1.25 day. Phone Forest ...

—Sit. by day or by week; ... Mary Kinslow, 1827 ... upstairs.

—Sit. by experienced white ... hotel bundles to take home; ... Cabany 3052J.

—Sit.—Work out by day. ... home. Mary Kinslow, 1827 ... rear, upstairs.

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Solid agate, 10c line, except agents, salesmen, canvassers, solicitors, mail orders 15c line; minimum, 2 lines.

MEN—BOYS

ADDING MACHINE OPERATOR—For Burroughs double bank electric machine; permanent position. Apply American Steel Foundry, Granite City, Ill. (c)

ASSISTANT—As bartender, good cook; all-round man; neat work. 3529 N. Grand. (c)

AUTO BODY BUILDERS—Experienced; Rapp & Moller Carriage Co., 2222 Pine. (c2)

BEVELERS—Experienced; no others need apply. Kahn Mirror Plate Co., Main and Spruce. (c)

BLACKSMITH HELPER—$916 Laclede av. Call between 9 and 10 a. m. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—Male, and stenographer; state experience and reference. Box D-236, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced; quick in figures; apply 4009 Westminster, 11 a. m. Sunday.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man, must have business experience, capable of handling complete set of books, credits and collections; must possess ability and be able to take charge of office and employes; bond and references required; married preferred; state salary expected. Box 145-280, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOX MAKER—Young man, experienced in making boxes for ladies' hats. Bronx Hat Co., 823 Washington av. (c)

BOY—For stock work. Singer Bros. Cloak Co., 1224 Washington. (c)

BOY—To wash blue prints; good chance for advancement. Box N-219, Post-Dis. (c1)

BOY—To work in grug store, living in neighborhood. 922 S. Vandeventer. (f)

BOY—Good, bright, 17 or 18, handy with tools; work in shop. Box H-241, P.-D. (c)

BOY—To work in printing office; chance to learn trade. 809 N. 14th st. (c)

BOYS—Wagon boys, Monday morning, 6:30. 3219 Eugenia.

BOY—Bright, intelligent, who can answer telephones. Call room 620 Merchants-Laclede Bldg., Monday.

BOYS—Over 16; neat appearance; good hustlers. Apply Gayety Theater, Sunday morning, 9 to 12.

BOY—Copy holder; must be good reader. Apply Wilson Printing Co., 9th and Walnut.

BOY—17, for drug store, with some experience; living in neighborhood preferred; good opportunity to learn. 4202 Lee.

BOY—Experienced, bright, to learn pattern trade; one with manual high school training. Box H-100, Post-Dispatch.

BOYS—Bright, 16 years old, by large local manufacturing concern; must have fair handwriting, giving reference, etc. Box N-196, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—To run errands on a good corner, can make $12 to $15 per week if hustler; must have experience and be honest. Apply Post-Dispatch branch, 731 Collinsville av., East St. Louis.

BUTCHER—Allround man. Paul Nitschke, Jerseyville, Ill.

CABINETMAKERS—Familiar with showcase work. M. A. Heimann, 1310 S. 13th. (c)

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CARPENTER—Sit. by good mechanic; reasonable. 1462 N. Garrison av.; Tyler 3405W.

CARRIAGE WOODWORKER—Experienced; Rapp & Moller Carriage Co., 2222 Pine. (c2)

CARRIAGE PAINTER—Good, and trimmer. Write Box 21, Red Bud, Ill.

CARRIAGE TRIMMER—Or painter, to rent part of store with established buggy company on N. Broadway, with phone service. Box C-29, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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CHAUFFEUR—For new 2-ton truck, by woodworking company; state full particulars first letter. Box C-238, Post-Dis.

CHAUFFEUR—Also to work around place, state references and wages. Box 103, Post-Dispatch.

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by experienced, safety-first driver; wishes position with private family; own repairs; references. Box F-94, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CHAUFFEUR—Experienced man, who can do cooking and housework; single man to attend to furnace and outside housework; single man, to live on place, good room and board. Hours, long job and good wages; good home; must have references. F. H. Glancy, Montrose, Io.

CHEMIST'S LABORER—White, married man, to operate mills, crutchers, sifters, mixers; jacketed kettles; cream, fine machinery, milling talcum powder crimping talcum powder cans, and help with cleaning; none but experienced men need apply; references for ability and sobriety need apply; call Monday morning, Sayman Bldg., 2117 Franklin.

CLERK—For retail grocery; must have some experience. Apply Monday morning, Conrad's, Grand and Shenandoah.

COAT MAKER—First-class, who is willing to work by the week. Correspond with Goldstein, Taylor ville, Sharpsburg, Ill.

COLLECTOR—To work on commission; must sign bond. Box F-94, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Young man to collect on furniture accounts; references. Box N-35, Post-Dispatch. (c)

COMPOSITORS—Box H-279, Post-Dispatch.

CONCRETE LABORERS—15, Monday morning; Hunt's Lane, Market, James McMahon Construction Co.

COOK—Experienced young man; in restaurant. 3524 Franklin.

CORDWOOD CHOPPERS—Only experienced; steady, ablebodied, need apply. Box B-6, Post-Dispatch.

CUTTER—First-class; apply Sunday or Monday. Marvin Planing Mill, 6200 Minerva, Wellston. (c)

CYLINDER PRESSFEEDER—First-class; also job pressfeeder. Call Monday ready for work, 2061 Laclede. (c)

DENTIST Wtd.—Operator; $140 to $165 per month. C. H. Lietzman, 135 S. State st., Chicago. (99)

DENTIST—For good country practice; no opposition. M. L. Le Houiller, Florissant, Mo.

DISTRIBUTORS—Two, good, experienced men. Call at 1418 O'Fallon.

DRAFTSMAN—A1 mechanical draftsman; railroad experience preferred. American Brake Co., 1845 N. Broadway.

DRAFTSMAN—To take charge of from six to eight men on miscellaneous steam pump work; $160 per month; also Chas. E. Lindsley Engineering Agency, Inc., 1062 Monadnock Blk. Chicago.

DRIVER—Ice cream wagon; experienced; references and bond required. Box R-36, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVERS—Lawyer familiar with streets, only practical, active, able-bodied need apply. Box B-52, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—For dirt teams; 3850 Cote Brilliante; 10 west at Marcus and Natural Fridge. Schweitzer Contracting Co.

DRIVER—Steady, married man, for laundry wagon; cash bond. Call Sunday between 9 and 12. Grand Laundry and Cleaning Co., 3044 Lawton.

DRUG CLERK—Must be registered and speak German. 2000 S. Broadway.

DRUGGIST—Registered, sober, honest and reliable; state salary expected. Address C. S. Hollenbeck Jr., Ilimo, Mo. (1)

ENGINEER—Experienced; must do his own firing. Box R-221, Post-Dispatch.

ERRAND BOY—Britt Printing Co., 105 S. 9th st. (c)

ERRAND BOY—Young, colored; drug store. 3008 Delmar.

FARMERS—Experienced, with family, German Catholics, for country. Box B-53, Post-Dispatch.

FARM HAND—Reliable, strong and willing worker; must be experienced, able to do anything on farm; long job and good wages; good home; must have references. F. H. Glancy, Montrose, Io.

FIELD MEN—Two, industrial insurance producer will have no trouble making financial arrangements; phone Monday, Olive 4580.

FOREMAN—Pattern shop; must be familiar with stove work, capable to design and lay out wood patterns, finishing of iron patterns, handling men, steady and reliable; state age, experience, salary expected and give references; replies confidential. Box B-165, Post-Dispatch.

GARDENER—Experienced flower and vegetable gardener, for country place, near city; give references. Box D-185, Post-Dis.

GARDENER—A good man for truck gardener; married. F. Erselius, Rock Hill, Route 4, Webster Groves. (2)

GARDENER—Middle-aged, single, by private family in county; must milk, tend furnace, clean automobile. Box D-65, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GILDERS WTD.—GOLD BURNISHERS, EXPERIENCED PICTURE FRAME WORK. APPLY 3315 WASHINGTON AVE.

GRINDER—Experienced, or miller of paint or other products; state experience and salary expected. Box R-11, P.-D. (c)

GROCERY CLERK—4900 Shenandoah; call between 9 and 10 Sunday a. m.

GROCERY CLERK—Experienced, retail; highest salary; good references required. Box D-218, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY CLERK—Must be grocer and meatcutter; experienced references and bond required. Call Monday. 408 N. Lindenwell. (c)

HARNESS CUTTERS, COLLAR CUTTERS—BENJAMIN YOUNG COMPANY, Department A. R., Milwaukee, Wis. (7)

HARNESS MAKERS, LOCKSTITCH MACHINE OPERATORS—BENJAMIN YOUNG COMPANY, Department A. R., Milwaukee, Wis. (7)

HAT BLOCKER—And sizer; must be experienced and good. E. W. Magee Mfg. Co., 1216 Mississippi. (c)

HOT TAMALE PEDDLERS—Two; experienced; no rolling to be done; good wages for right men. Monday, 9733 S. Broadway. Ask Wm. S. Goodwin.

HOTEL CLERK—Young, single, experienced. Apply Monday afternoon. Regal Hotel, 19th and Market. (c)

JANITOR—White, married man, experienced in caring for buildings, cleaning windows, mopping, tending steam and hot water furnaces; must follow this as a business; city references required for ability and sobriety; call Monday morning, Sayman Bldg., 2117 Franklin. (c)

LABORATORY MAN—For dental office; must be good plate and gold workman. New York Dentists, 829 S. Calhoun st., Fort Wayne, Ind. (7)

MACHINIST—Experienced, for bench work. 1913 N. Broadway.

MACHINIST—Good; must have experience in making dies and operating lathe. Box N-211, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

MACHINIST—Lathe hand for medium work; must be accurate; apply Ludlow-Saylor Wire Co., Newstead and Wabash tracks. (c)

MACHINIST—3; turret, J. & L. 1½; lathe machinist; good wages. St. Mary's Oil Engine Co., St. Charles, Mo. (c7)

MACHINISTS, TOOL MAKERS AND MOTOR WINDERS

Tool and die makers, lathe, milling machine, turret lathe, automatic machine and hand-screw machine operators; also field and armature winders. Apply Wagner Electric Mfg. Co. 6400 Plymouth av., 8:30 a. m. (c8)

MACHINISTS — First-class, on lathe and screw machines; call or write. Nordyke & Marmon Co., Indianapolis, Ind. (c7)

MALE NURSE—And help wait on table; $25, room and board to start with. 915 Aubert av.

MANAGER—Clerks; experienced in discounts and commercial paper. Box D-255, P.-D.

MANAGER—For picture show; one who can take one-half interest. Box D-280, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Repair deep well pump (hand); probably install new one. Box F-61, P.-D. (c)

MAN—White, for house and yard; must understand flowers; references required. 5505 Lindell bl. (f)

MAN—Elderly, for repairing furniture, upholstering. Apply Dennis Bros., Grand & City, Ill.

MAN—Young, hustler, given business education for services; board if wanted. Room C Odeon.

MAN—Young, to collect rents in real estate office; steady employment if satisfactory; salary $15. Box C-9, Post-Dis. (c)

MAN AND WIFE—For general housework, care garden, horse, etc. Apply with references, 4500 Delmar Blvd., 4th floor. (c)

MAN AND WOMAN—Experienced, attendant for bath house at Austin, Tex.; husband and wife preferred; apply Ike Lusky, 1226 Washington av., St. Louis. (c)

MAN—Four acres; 2 rooms, near Clayton, in (exchange for outdoor work; no children; reference required; good chance for truck gardening. Box Y-39, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—For general office work; experienced; must have good penmanship and references; where formerly employed and salary expected. Box B-201, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Experienced, to tend chickens, more for a home; must be Catholic; apply Monday, Troechelman Lakewood av., 6th house from Delmar.

MAN—Bright, young, about 17, with good reference; must be good at figures; one living north St. Louis preferred. Box D-71, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—About 35; or mother and son; colored for housework and laundry; good home; state price; references. Box R-138, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Industrious, young, of ability and education, for office work; state age; no triflers will make good; references. Box F-75, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Catholic, for institution in St Louis; to take care of grounds and do general work; rooms and heat furnished; will need help; good home; white. Box F-77, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Young men, married or single, to go out soliciting and to superintend city delivery; must be good drivers and handy with tools; also a few boys. Apply Wagner Electric Mfg. Co. 6400 Plymouth av., 8:30 a. m. (c8)

MAN AND WIFE—To take residence in small city in Missouri, to manage branch office of large food product concern; preter man, 28 to 35, who has solicited or sold goods from wagon either in country or city; salaried position; no investment; bond and references required. 2209 Pine st., St. Louis.

MAN—30 to 35, to travel and assist manager of sales organization; who has sold and can develop men to sell consumer; will be given special training; a substantial monthly salary at start and excellent prospects if qualified; reply in own handwriting, stating experience desired at start. Box J-18, Post-Dispatch.

MECHANICS—And experienced drill press hands. 2840 N. Spring. (c)

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN—Fir about 1 month's work; state salary. Box F-59, Post-Dispatch.

MEN—Thorough, to serve as an inspector of machines in an up-to-date manufacturing plant; must be capable of knowing when a machine is right; also capable to suggest necessary repairs; also to inspect product of machines and locate cause of any defect. Address Box R-22, Post-Dis. (c)

MEN—10; Kingsbury and De Balliviere, T. H. Sayder Jr.

MEN to haul cinders and grade by contract; also Sunday. 3701 Hasks.

MEN—Single, neat appearing, to travel and solicit; leave city at once. Apply to R. W. Haley, Edison Hotel, from 9 to 1 today.

MEN—Will pay straight salary for 10 good experienced men; $18 per week; unusual proposition in city; call after 9. Room 209 Republic Bldg. (c)

MEN—Young, for National Guard military training, target practice, bayonet exercise; camping trips; use of gymnasium, swimming pool; regular pay. For information address Box D-255, Post-Dispatch.

MEN—Ambitious, energetic, to become traffic managers and earn while they learn; you can increase your earning capacity from income 100 per cent; a few men who have the study habit will be instructed, in their spare time, by practical experts, to become traffic managers and assisted to secure positions with large corporations; no experience required. Box R-112, Post-Dispatch.

MILLWRIGHTS—Not over 38 years, capable, willing to travel; good salary and expenses will be paid on road; answer in own writing, giving experience, full particulars. Box F-97, Post-Dispatch.

MOLDER HAND—One who can rip and cut off preferred. Sternkopf Sons, 8th and Walnut, East St. Louis, Ill.

MOLDERS—Bench and squeezer; piece work; highest prices, steady work, long runs; open shop, no trouble. St. Louis Malleable Casting Co., 7800 N. Broadway.

OPERATORS—To work on men's coats, 825 N. 12th st., 2d floor.

OPERATOR—On custom pants, 307½ Pine st., room 29, 4th floor.

OPERATOR—Experienced Jones & Lamson; automatic screw machine; and boring mill hands. National Metal Trades Association, 418 Odd Fellows Bldg.

PAINTER—Experienced carriage and wagon painter; must stripe and finish. 3935 Flodissant.

PAINTER—And decorator; good; must be sober will exchange rent of 5-room flat for decorating and painting. Call Forest 6069W, or address 614 Rialto Bldg. (c)

PAINTER—Good painter or paper hanger to rent a 10-room house on Olive street, will take the rent out in work; good chance for a painter to get a free. Box N-237, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PAPER HANGERS—Not union. Box F-151, Post-Dispatch.

PAPER HANGER—Who can handle men, make estimates; give security. Box D-185, Post-Dispatch.

PAPER HANGER—First-class union men; must carry card and be reliable men. Box D-239, Post-Dispatch.

PONY PRESS—Experienced; feeder. Security Print. Co., 3d and Vine sts.

PORTER—Colored, for saloon. 217 N. Compton av.

PORTER—Experienced; apply early Monday morning. Village Inn Co., 623 Locust. (c)

PRESSERS—For ladies' cloaks and suits. Broadway and Locust.

PRESS FEEDER—Cylinder. Winter-Langeneckert Folding Box Co., 1214 Mississippi.

PRESS FEEDER—Jobbing. Art Publication Society, 916 Olive st., 4th floor.

PRESS FEEDER—Unemployed; strict habits; desiring to learn typesetting; good chance. Room 5, Odeon.

PRESSMAN—Roll paper. Apply 124 S. 9th st. (c7)

PRESSMAN—Assistant, on Harris automatic presses; steady position; nonunion. Box Y-26, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTER—Christian Board of Publication. 2712 Pine. (c)

PRINTER—Good, allround job printer; state reference; nonunion. Box D-124, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTER—Competent, to take charge of manufacturer's small private plant; answer, stating age, experience and references. Box B-133, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTER—Thoroughly experienced; typewriter; one familiar with all machines, to locate in city of 40,000 outside of St. Louis; address, stating experience, salary wanted, reference and age; splendid opening for right man. Box F-28, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PRINTER—Excellent chance entering partnership; established business; must be A1 compositor and pressman; satisfactory; advise fully. Box H-221, Post-Dispatch.

REPAIR MAN—Experienced, for only experienced; state salary expected and if willing to work on percentage basis. Phillipsburg Garage, Phillipsburg, Mont.

SANDER—Experienced sander hand for Royal invisible and belt sander. Apply Monday morning. Southeast corner 22d and Washington.

SHOEMAKER—Experienced machine repair man, for Southern Illinois; call at Simplex Shoe Mach. Co., 114 N. 15th st.

SHOE REPAIRER—At once. 1044 S. Newstead av.

SHOE COBBLER—To open shop just closed on account of sickness. W. Rouse, 7310 Thekla.

SHOEMAKER—Good table; German; apply Monday, 2817 Nebraska.

SHOWCASE MAKERS—M. A. Heimann, 1310 S. 13th. (c)

SHOVELERS—$2 per day, 3100 N. Broadway; 4400 Maryland. Andrew Schaefer Wrecking Co. (c)

SHOVELERS—50; trench or sewer diggers; must be good; new Post-Dispatch Bldg., 12th and Olive. Jacob Schaefer Wrecking Co.

SPOTTER—Must be an expert on ladies' fancy work and an expert velvet finisher; must be sober and industrious; don't answer unless your references are required. Ad. Manager, 2243 Gilbert av., Cincinnati, O.

STENOGRAPHER—Good man; in reply state ability, references and salary. Box C-114, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—And bookkeeper; expert state salary expected; married preferred; garden and chicken ground; farm home privileges. Capt. Riggs, Greenland, Ark. (62)

STENOGRAPHERS—3 shorthand; must be experienced in dry goods business and be able to take charge of billing and shipping. Box B-164, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—White, married man, 25 to 35, high school education; must take rapid dictation and transcribe notes accurately, with practical business experience and selling ability; capable of composing business-getting letters; chance for advancement and investment in a large and well established mail order business; address in own handwriting, state age, experience and salary to start, and where so employed in first letter. Box T-2, Post-Dispatch. (c)

STENOGRAPHER

Young, bright, with knowledge of machinery; good chance for advancement; state salary and references. Box H-3, P.-D. (c)

STOCK MEN—In electrical supply house. Box D-245, Post-Dispatch.

STRAW SEWERS—Best of prices and work until July guaranteed. Panama-American Hat Works, 1323 Washington av.

STRIPPER—Cigar factory. 213 Chestnut st., 2d floor.

SUPERINTENDENT—For concrete chimney; give full list of references and jobs and salary expected. Box R-220, P.-D.

TEAMS Wtd.—Two, with slips, 45c per hour. 1027A N. Grand. Phone Kinloch 1.

TEAMSTERS—10, good. Apply 5 a. m., Monday morning, near 4018 Easton. Jacob Schaefer Wrecking Co. (c)

TELEPHONE MAN—Allround, for line and installation work; union; small town; city wage scale. Box F-98, Post-Dispatch. (1)

TINNER—Accustomed to bar fixture work and to line refrigerators. Box R-12, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WANTED—A baker, German preferred, first-class and strictly sober, with some capital, as partner in establishing first-class bakery in Missouri; recommendations; unusual opportunity; references exchanged. Address Box J-27, Post-Dispatch.

WATCHMAN—Registered voter, with good references. Call Grand 2567W.

WELDER—Thoroughly experienced with oxyacetylene. Box D-222, Post-Dispatch.

WOOD WORKING MACHINE HAND—Band and cut-off saws; state age and experience. Box F-154, Post-Dispatch.

WOODWORKER—First-class, on general blacksmith shop, with own tools. Maloney & Bucher, Cairo, Ill.

WORKMEN—To run to Birmingham; must have $15 cash security. 18 S. 18th. (c93)

YOUNG MAN—Spanish and French correspondent; state salary and experience. Box R-66, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MAN—To fire boilers. Engines planing mill, Grand and Carter. Call Monday. (c)

YOUNG MAN—Honest, sober, young, to learn barber trade and help look after shop. Call 1820 Papin st.

YOUNG MAN—Age 18, to work in printing plant; salary, $6 per week. Box H-1, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MAN—Single, for general farm work and milking; give reference. A. S. Ennis, Horse Creek, Ill.

YOUNG MAN—To take charge of branch office; experience unnecessary; must have good references and $500 cash for security; weekly salary can be collected; salary $20 weekly; responsible firm. Box B-195, P.-D.

EXPERIENCED COLORED BUTLER AND MAN

For steady position in Washington terrace; must have highest references; reply in writing, giving full particulars; state employment and time employed in various positions and state age. Box N-218, P.-D.

MANAGER FOR RETAIL STORE.

A large mercantile concern with a number of retail stores in Missouri desires men from 25 to 35 years of age; will only consider a man of high executive ability who has had a thorough training and the limit of his advancement and earnestly desires to secure an opportunity where the position he advances himself to will be limited by his result-producing ability. Requirements: Past record such as will make him acceptable for bond; good health, ambition, well-disciplined mind, the determination to work hard physically and devote necessary time to study in self-development must have retail experience in selling staple, line; conception of store goods or house furnishing store.

To have application considered, state age, married or single, present occupation, and details of service, also wages in each position. Application strictly confidential. Box J-236, Post-Dispatch.

LABOR NOTICES

NOTICE—Local 136, Sheet Metal Workers, will meet Monday evening, 7 p. m. Smoker following.

SHOEWORKERS

HAND FOLDERS—Side row stitchers, top stitchers, all-round makers. Apply W. Ehrle, President Factory, 18th and Wash. (c)

HAND PULLERS—First-class; Goodyear stitchers; also Cheney girls; good pay; steady work. The Kaut Reith Shoe Co., Carthage, Mo. (c)

HEELER—Who can heel, trim and break in; apply Lifeline Factory, 0629 Olive st. rd.

HEEL SCOURER—And breast scourer. International Shoe Co., Jefferson and Louis. (c)

INSPECTOR—For packing room, to inspect shoes before entering cartons; must be capable of inspecting lined and unlined shoes, welts and McKays. Apply Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., Columbia, Mo. (c7)

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—Time payment furniture; for outside; commission 1318 S. Broadway.

SALESMAN—First-class specialty man, who has trade in Missouri. 2606 Washington.

SALESMEN—Manufacturer wants traveling, on commission. Box 2225, Litchfield, Ill.

SOLICITING SALESMEN—Martinur. 217 Chestnut-Laclede Bldg.

SALESMEN—Capable, to sell job lot carbon paper. Apply room E-19, Railway Exchange.

SALESMAN—Energetic, to visit schools; $100 salary and liberal commission. R. O. Evans Co., 1100 Wabash av., Chicago.

SALESMEN—Factory foremen, have good money-making proposition; confidential. Box 220-295, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—Everywhere; any calling; big paying side lines. Byler Mfg. Co., Clinton, Mo.

SALESMAN—Man for salesman and collecting; prefer one who speaks Polish or Italian; references. Box B-205, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—For a good side line, selling everywhere; write Euclid, 4909 Terry av., St. Louis.

SALESMAN—Experienced wall paper; one with department store experience; must furnish good references. Box D-240, P.-D.

SALESMEN—Good proposition for right men selling risky certificates; state references, etc. Box D-199, P.-D.

SALESMAN—To sell lighting fixtures; experienced preferred; call for terms. 1115 Olive. (c7)

SALESMEN—A few active salesmen, for an exceptional proposition. W. A. Vormehr, 306 N. 11th st. (c8)

SALESMAN—For wholesale grocery, to cover established territory in Lead Belt; man who is acquainted with territory and experienced preferred. Box B-169, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—Premium advertising; men who have had successful experience to place our special contract; state experience; give permanent address. Box J-24, P.-D.

SALESMAN—Experienced paper bag; none other need apply. Address in own hand writing, The Heirlinger Paper Co., 217 Main st., Cincinnati, O.

SALESMEN—Two, to fill vacancies; general store and drug trade; splendid line backed with strong advertising; position permanent. Address "National," Box 351, Iowa City, Io.

SALESMAN—By old-established collection agency, to call on local retail merchants; good proposition to man of ability. 1010 Syndicate Trust Bldg.

SALESMAN—To call on physicians; established trade; expensive and commission; state age; also one outside city. P. O. Box 121, Philadelphia.

SALESMEN—Two educated gentlemen to represent a university selling university extension educational courses; give qualifications. Box F-105, P.-D.

SALESMAN—Good talker or clothing; state qualifications. Box F-206, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Opportunity for active, to handle Insilfit, the modern auto fuel, on commission. Write Insilfit Supply Co., 3618 Hartford st., St. Louis, Mo.

SALESMEN—Commission; chinaware; direct from factory; good side line; pays good commission. The Carrollton Pottery Co., Carrollton, O.

SALESMEN—Calling on furniture trade, to represent line in conjunction with other furniture lines. Western Wire Products Co. (c)

SALESMAN—Institutional man, who can sell disinfectants to St. Louis hotels, hospitals, etc.; must be experienced. Wizard, 2606 Washington av. (c)

SALESMEN—To carry side line; quick selling article; retail trade only; salesmen earn $75 to $100 month. Vinita Brass Works, Vinita, Ok.

SALESMAN—To sell special line of dry goods to retail merchants; liberal commission; fine side line for traveling man. Bryn Mawr Mills, Philadelphia, Pa. (c)

SALESMEN—Side line, pocket samples; 10 minutes, $10 commission; high-grade men only; no other need apply. Advertising Novelty Co., Newton, Ia.

SALESMAN—To call on automobile trade, with "monogram" letters; new article; sells fast. Do it now! Box P-200 Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sell cigars on commission; our agent has been salesmen from $5 to $10 per day; territory open in Central States. Box B-149, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Experienced man with selling ability and clean record for Missouri and vicinity. Ill. Corp. R. X. Wilson, General Sales Manager, 2458 Jackson bl., Chicago.

SALESMAN—With $1000 to invest, well-established manufacturing business; can secure permanent position, $25 week drawing account to start; substantial increase; sales manager; give phone number. Box N-274, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMAN—Specialty, on grocery trade; must have ability to sell; no order takers wanted; state experience and reference. Box N-217, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMAN—High-class, thoroughly experienced, to sell waterproof rugs, etc.; on liberal commission basis; permanent and profitable connection for a live wire; exclusive territory. Address Box J-17, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—Who can qualify to talk one hour each day to gathering of retailers, to demonstrate new invention; pulling special; very profitable, pleasant work. B. A. F. E., Box 497, Iowa City, Io.

SALESMEN—Educated men commanding good salaries; unique specialty; all retailers; very profitable and pleasant; give present and past employment. Address quick, Fred Main, Iowa City, Io.

SALESMEN—Several, to demonstrate Helpa-phone to telephone users; enables two or more persons to talk at once; eliminates outside noises and aids defective hearing. Box F-224, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—To handle sales of advertising stickers on commission; state starting what lines are now being handled. Address Tablet and Ticket Co., 624 W. Adams st., Chicago.

SALESMAN—$1000 death, $14 weekly accident policy. Key system; 1 cent per week; $250,000 deposited Insurance Department; experience unnecessary; money maker. Registry Co., Newark, N. J.

SALESMEN—New plan accident and health agency; combined ready cash and renewal commissions. Continental Casualty Co., Accident and Health Association, 1061 Fullerton Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. (c)

SALESMEN—Calling on men or women to sell our new household electric vacuum sweeper; introductory price $24; splendid money making opportunity. Western Mfg. Company, Peoria, Ill. (99)

SALESMAN—Calling on outdoors, grocers, bakers, hotels and restaurants; can make profitable arrangement with us. Write at once. National Refrigerator and Fixture Co., 5th and Travois.

SALESMAN—Excellent permanent position open Feb. 15; capable salesman in Missouri to handle line for general retail trade; liberal commissions; $35 weekly advance. Ralph H. Ide, 730 Williams Bldg., Detroit.

SALESMEN—Several vacancies open for hustling men to sell our guaranteed \$3 men's suits, trousers and raincoats direct to consumer; commission basis; references required. Nonpareil Tailoring Co., 125 S. Market st., Chicago, Ill.

SALESMAN—Vacancy Feb. 20; experienced man to sell to general trade in Central West and Southwest; unexcelled especialty proposition; commission contract \$35 weekly for expenses. Continental Jewelry Co., 48-7 Continental Bldg., Cleveland, O.

SALESMAN—Specialty travelling, to sell our new and original advertising novelties and banks in small towns; we offer exclusive territory on strictly commission basis; no money to right man. Wisconsin Engraving Co., 154 Nassau st., New York. (c91)

SALESMAN—Capable specialty man for Missouri; staple line; steady and exceptional terms; vacancy now; attractive commission contract; \$35 weekly expenses. Milton F. Bixler Co., 151-7 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, O.

SALESMEN—Calling on retail merchants in country towns and small cities to carry quick selling pocket side lines; good commissions on receipt of orders; sample case free; give line and territory. Address Patent Novelty Co., Fulton, Ill.

SALESMAN—Specialty to introduce rexkraft felt rugs as a side line. Keiso, Battle Creek, Mich., sold 30 dozen last week. His profit \$75. Wholesale price, $15.00 dozen. Write for Sample, prepaid, 75c. Exclusive territory. I. Condon, Mtgr., Stonington, Me.

SALESMAN—Experienced man; weather strip; best of conditions and the best strip on the market; will furnish some prospects and exclusive territory; commission basis; strong experience, and what strip. Box J-25, Post-Dispatch.

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AGENTS—Don't miss this money-making opportunity; new in season; product new; territory never worked; easy to sell; big profits; quick money-making repeater. Write for sample today. Randall Specialty Co., Box 265, Teague, Tex.

AGENTS—Make $30 to $50 weekly selling our new 500-candlepower gasoline table and hanging lamp for homes, stores, halls, churches; no wick, no chimney, no mantle trouble; costs 1c per night; exclusive territory; we loan you sample. Sunshine Safety Lamp Co., 102 Factory Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. (c92)

AGENTS—A man with sales ability and gilt-edge references can establish himself in permanent territory, selling high-grade reproductions of world's best paintings; commission contract worth $50 to $150 weekly to live wire; new sales plan by which local dealer introduces you to his trade; proposition sold as a rock—backed by $10,000,000 corporation. The Cincinnati Fine Arts Co., 32 Beech st., Cincinnati, O. (c90)

AGENTS—Fastest money maker on earth; $5 to $15 day sure; new, ingenious invention for picking up and carrying cuspidors without touching hands or clothes; users enthusiastic; indorsed by boards of health; sells quickly by simple demonstration; no sales experience necessary; no capital needed to start; write quick for exclusive territory appointment. Address Keith Mfg. Co., 59 Keith Bldg., Canton, O. (c90)

AGENT—Man or woman; we manufacture 6 styles self-wringing mops, for all purposes, including an absolutely new combination scrubbing brush-mop, that is self-wringing. Every woman wants this proven success. New inexperienced men make $9 per day. One man made $120 the second week; no investment. Send for catalogue and exclusive territory proposition that will make you independent. Hilker Mop Co., 2640 W. Grand av., Chicago. (c90)

AGENTS—$5000 easy money; 200 per cent profit on every sale; $10 a day easy for you, build up a permanent business next year; you $5000 to $10,000 a year; others are doing it. How about you? The best and latest washing machine on the market; only one vacuum clothes washer; the only one with a soap cup; no cranks to turn; no levers to push; no rubbing; works like magic; price only $1.50; sale at every house. Jones & Bolster, Troy, N. Y., are ordering machines by the thousand; write today. W. J. Frank Mfg. Co., 18 N. 2d st., St. Louis, Mo. (c)

AGENTS—$1000 for your next 100 days spot cash; money and investment unnecessary; recently invented 1,000,000 ready sold; 200 more salesmen wanted at once; amazing automatic compressed air washing machine; washes tub of clothes in six minutes; no cranks to turn or levers to push—no rubbing; works like magic; price only $1.50; makes sale at every house; 200 per cent profit. E. Palmer, Glen Allen, Ala., put out on trial 108 machines, sold 100 out of 107; write today. Wendell Co., 1052 Park st., Lafayette, Ind.

AGENTS—$1000 per man per county; strange invention startles world; agents amazed at inexperienced men driving in; Korstad, a farmer, did $2200 in 14 days; Schleicher, a minister, $1000 first 12 hours, $4200 cold cash made; paid, banked by Stoneman in 30 days; $65.000 to date; a hot or cold proposition; spare or all time; work at home at only $6.50; self-heating, no plumbing or waterworks required; investigate; exclusive sale given; send in application; write letter or postal today. Allen Mfg. Co., 170 Allen Bldg., Toledo, O.

AGENTS—How would you like to make up to $50 monthly on an investment of not more than $5? Write us and show how to do this right in your own room; the easy work necessary can be done by devoting only 30 minutes each day; no experience or big capital required. Did you ever have a better chance to make money easily, quickly and legitimately? For years I have been in the mail order business and today I am one of the largest operators in the world. We want partners in every territory. Send me your name and address and I will pay all expenses. All I want is your name and address, dress, so that we can work together. I will not show you how to make up to $5000 monthly on a capital of 20c, but will tell you how you can start mail order business in your own room at home. Write today and I will immediately send you instructive booklet and full particulars free. Voorhies, Desk 702, Omaha, Neb.

ANYWHERE, handy men can make big money with our gold window sign letters; sample outfit free. Sloan Sign System, Detroit, Mich.

CANVASSERS—Can any lady in each local city be employed by reliable manufacturer to represent him with a guaranteed and splendid line of ladies' aprons; better and cheaper than in stores; good profits and big demand; sell on sight; no talk necessary; send letter today for sample outfit and particulars; no postcards answered. C. & I. Mfg. Co., Dept. C, 634 Washington st., Boston, Mass. (c90)

DRUNK and on easy—Not so, but you can collect the money and keep it all; small capital needed to start. U. S. Mfg. Co., Edwardsville, Kansas. (99)

EARN $100 weekly managing clean, legitimate mail order business. We furnish everything, and teach you how to succeed without capital. Splendid chance for intelligent, employed people to control independent business in profit-sharing basis, operating in spare time, evenings at home. Particulars free. Opportunities Exchange, Buffalo, N. Y. (c)

EASY monday Washington Tablets get the cleaning while you sleep. Dissolve one in 10 cents for fulinsed package. H. C. Brown Co., Culpa, Va., R. 1, Box 18.

FORD OWNERS—To demonstrate real Ford starter. Turns engine over all four cylinders. Electric vaporizer makes gas direct from gasoline, blacks in the carbon under in regular firing order. Safe, sure cold weather starter. Any woman can operate. Retails complete, $20. Exclusive territory. Automatic Mfg. Co., 329 Plymouth, Chicago.

FREE—Catalogue; biggest and best line toilet specialties, remedies, soaps, extracts; liberal terms; write today. Western Laboratories, Dept. W, Van Buren st., Chicago.

HE who has a prosperous New Year in the Davis agent. Join the happy throng for 1916. Postal puts you next. C. M. Davis, Pres., 804 Davis Bldg., Chicago.

HERE is the one live agents' seller of the year; needed in every home, office and factory; sells on sight; a sure repeater; 100 per cent profit. Send a postal for free particulars. H. Sanetzky, 4226 S. Fairfield av., Chicago, Ill.

I WILL start you in the mail order business; furnish everything. If you will handle my goods. Crest Co., 10-L, Atlantic City, N. J.

LIVE AGENTS—Who appreciate a quick-selling article; agents are making from $30 to $50 per week; write for particulars. Busy Supply House, 528 Adams st., Dayton, O. (c99)

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVES—Men or women, all or part time; $1000 to $5000 yearly; no experience or capital needed. Write American Realty Association, Dept. J, Houston, Tex.

LOOK—Snappy art postals; send dime for samples. Andrew Beisgen, 418 Lincoln av., Pittsburg; East End. (99)

MAKE $30-$50 weekly, mail order business; your own terms; particulars free. Geo. Birchall, 788 Shelby, Louisville, Ky.

MAKE and sell your own goods; formulas by expert chemist; manufacturing processes and trade secrets; formula catalog for stamp. Byron Mystic Co., Washington, D. C. (99)

MAKE $15 weekly, spare time (nights), making OUR circulars, catalogues, etc.; we sell large or small quantities; orders nearly always lower than $1 on up; we pay 30 per cent commission; on all orders received through your mailing and furnish all printed matter you need FREE; commissions payable weekly; we desire to sell $100,000 worth of a certain big bargain dollars' worth, immediately; we'll pay $30,000 in commission; how much of this trade alone, are you going to get? Send 25c for contract, instructions, big trial lot of circulars, etc., which will be refunded in our first check, or immediately, if not satisfactory; in business 10 years; bank reference. Denver Ferguson $100-, Brownsville, Ky.

MANAGERS—Every section to appoint agents; "Skilliard" game, played like forbidden fruit machine with coin slot, easily sold or operated on percentage in public places. Less than square foot space required; sold on easy terms; sample game loaned managers free. Valentine Metal Cabinet Co., 1156 S. 11th Pulton st., Chicago.

MANUFACTURERS—If you have goods to sell through general agents, let me hear from you. I have 5,000 agents working for me. Box B-225, Post-Dispatch.

MEDALLIONS—300 per cent profit; make no investment; experience unnecessary; catalogue free. Resax Co., 1203 Randolph st., Chicago. (99)

NEW Everywhere; $10 daily, placing samples of new necessity with automobile owners; new plan, big pay; whole or part time. Orolo Mfg. Co., Louisville, Ky. (99)

MEN—To distribute, etc., for old established mail order grocery house; all or spare time; $8 to $25 weekly opportunity; no canvassing; no experience. Globe Association, 830-C Como Bldg., Chicago.

MEN—And ladies, too, to address envelopes and advertising matter at home; for large mail order firms, spare or whole time; can make $10 to $35 weekly; no capital or experience required. Every one is buying everything mailed for 10c to cover postage, etc. Ward Pub. Co., Box 435, Chicago.

MEN—Capable, for State agents, to be exclusive control of territory for Dodds Perfection boiler; everybody can clean boiler; beneficial terms; write today. Western Laboratories, Dept. W, Van Buren st., Chicago.

NAMES Wtd.—Men and women to get names and addresses for mail order houses; particulars free. Direct Appeal Co., Plymouth, Ind.

NAMES AND ADDRESSES Wtd.—By advertising houses; excellent pay; particulars for stamp. Great Western Compiling and Publishing Co., Box 144, South Bend, Ind.

PHILADELPHIA representative desire representation of 1st-class marketable articles, commission basis. Burke, 209 S. 13th st., Philadelphia.

$5 PER DAY to reliable person in each locality to travel, distribute free goods and advertising 45 outfit free. No money required; we trust you; experience unnecessary; steady business. Silverton, Mgr., 2144 Ogden av., Chicago.

PORTRAIT MEN—Portraits or prints shipped in 24 hours' time; write for catalogue. Portrait Men's Supply House, 1420 McGee st., Kansas City, Mo. (c99)

PORTRAIT men and photographers, we help you make money by giving best work and prompt service; our line of portrait frames, metal and wood, oval or square, mouldings, pictures, picture goods, novelties etc., is the most exclusive; send trial order and be convinced; new 1916 90-page catalogue free; credit to responsible parties. Chicago Picture Frame and Mirror Co., 818 N. 6th st., St. Louis, Mo.

SIX big manufacturing opportunities are open; a few dollars starts you at home in spare time; big profits possible; complete instructions for 10c. Lawrence-Lane, 501 Sheridan av., Pittsburg, Pa.

STOP slaving, you can make $15 daily; absolutely new proposition. Write today. Unlimited field. Trausche Supply Co., R. 215, 305 S. La Salle st., Chicago.

TAILORING AGENTS—Write for easiest selling, money-making guaranteed line; 4 prices; $6 to sell at $15; union label. Nelson Tailoring Co., 241 W. Van Buren, Chicago.

TYPEWRITER AGENTS—Right now is the time to do business; get busy at once; we are ready. Independent Portrait & Frame Co., 825 South State st., Chicago.

One Thousand Dollars Reward

We will forfeit $1000 of this is not the greatest money-making, money-saving proposition advertised in these columns. N. R. G. Little Wizard Labor Saver washes clothes in 10 minutes absolutely without rubbing; contains no paraffin or wax and there is nothing like it on the market; sells for enough for 5 family washings. We supply you with all the free samples you need. You do the rest. Mrs. Ida Stevens, Ky., writes, "Here is my order for 10,000 more of Little Wizards. I made a mistake if you do not secure territorial rights at once. A postal card brings full particulars.

FARQUHAR-MOORE MFG. CO.,
140 W. Van Buren st., Chicago, Ill.

AGENTS—MEN OR WOMEN
EARN $33 TO $125 A MONTH.

Working spare time or steady in your own locality. Large manufacturer in the city of the world; not necessary to be away from home nights; no previous experience necessary; work consists in showing to your friends our free trial a wonderful new household necessity now being introduced in every rural home; awarded gold medal; greatest invention of the age; tested by the U. S. Bureau of Standards and by large universities in this country; when article now in general use, and found to be four times as efficient; benefits every member of the family; brings cheer and happiness to the home; no investment or bond necessary; instructions sent with outfit. Have never seen an article that sells so easily. Nothing, lows, says: "12 per cent of homes visited bought." Phillips, Ohio, says: "Every customer becomes a friend and booster." Keeling, Edina, Mo., says: "No flowery talk necessary. Sells itself." Send your name and address, stating your regular occupation, also number in family; whether you have a rig or auto; whether you wish to work spare time or steady; how much time you have to devote to work. When we receive this we will show many homes are within six miles of you in which to introduce. Don't hesitate if you want to start." About how many homes are within six miles of you in each direction? Name townships most convenient for you to work in. Address J. B. Johnson, president, 168 N. Halsted st., Chicago, Ill.

WE pay $36 a week and expenses to men with rig to introduce poultry compound; year's contract. Imperial Mfg. Co., Dept. 3, Parsons, Kan. (c99)

WE have a rattling good proposition for 2 more district managers on our easy payment Magazine Club; only those experienced in soliciting and quoting values need apply. Postal Subscription Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

WOULD you take a steady job clearing $36 a week? Experience unnecessary; permanent manager earning $3000 yearly? Greatest opportunity to be permanent representative; big factory behind you; nationally known toilet goods. Patterson Civil Service School, Rochester, N. Y. (c)

WALTHAM mail clerks, $900-1800, postoffice and many other desirable Government positions can be obtained by citizens over 17, with any common education. Write for immediate appointment. E. M. Davis, Pres., 305 B, Marion, Ind.

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WAITRESSES Wtd.—And cooks. Write Little Rock Employment Bureau. (99)

MEN—Become detectives; highest salaries; openings everywhere. Write Box 4483, Akron, O.

WANTED—Ladies, gentlemen, for company, to learn telegraphing. 1830 Railway Exchange Bldg., 610 Locust st.

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WANTED—Names of ambitious men, 18 to 45, wishing to become St. Louis mail carriers; preliminary $61 month. Box J-230, Post-Dispatch.

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GOVERNMENT POSITIONS in postoffice, railway mail and other branches are good; prepare for "exams" under former U. S. Civil Service Secretary; booklet free; write today. Patterson Civil Service School, Rochester, N. Y. (c)

RAILWAY mail clerks, $900-1800, postoffice and many other desirable Government positions can be obtained by citizens over 17, with any common education. Write for immediate appointment. E. M. Davis, Pres., 305 B, Marion, Ind.

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We teach you how; our graduates are in demand; good positions await you; price reduced. Capt. John Berry, 3900 Washington bl.

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PARTNER Wtd.—Lady, to start in dressmaking business. Box D-161, Post-Dis.

PARTNER Wtd.—A real smoke consumer; no fakes. Box F-267, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PARTNER Wtd.—Paper hanger, with $200; have good location. Box R-39, P.-D.

PARTNER Wtd.—Paper hanger, acquainted with real estate firms. Box D-113, P.-D.

Wtd.—Barber with $300, or outfit for first-class shop. 4026 Olive. (c)

PARTNER Wtd.—Lady, in rooming and boarding house, with a little money. Box D-19, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—In grocery and meat market; experience not necessary. Box F-238, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—In good growing manufacturing business of cloaks and suits. Box H-245, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Good tailor and clothing man; no capital required. Box F-268, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—With $200 and services; light manufacturing; quick returns; permanent; call today. 2708 Olive.

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PARTNER Wtd.—For bicycle and general repair business; $100; lady or gentleman. Call Sunday, Thomas, 3466 Olive.

PARTNER Wtd.—Lady, with $1500 or more to take charge of office in established business; good opening. Box C-7, P.-D. (c)

PARTNER Wtd.—In manufacturing business; good trade; unable to take active part in business; no other need apply; small capital. Box R-8, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—For one-third interest; good business, requiring services bright young man in office; $1000 cash; will pay good salary to right man. Box F-239, P.-D.

PARTNER Wtd.—An allround blacksmith and wagon maker; good chance for right man. Kirkwood Wagon and Horseshoeing Shop, Kirkwood.

PARTNER Wtd.—$5000 needed, with services, in a staple manufacture; well established; clears over 100 per cent on large own capital. Box C-75, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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PARTNER Wtd.—Party with $1500 to $15,000 to build cottages, share profits; have ground; all improvements; sure thing; 20 years' experience. Box P-171, P.-D.

PARTNER Wtd.—Willing to make money; nice time; chance; must invest $5000. Mr. Carlisle, 1010 Times Bldg., for full particulars.

PARTNER Wtd.—An ideal chance for man or woman to get half interest in old established rooming house, in this country; paying under guarantee; $500 required. Call 2325 Locust st.

PARTNER Wtd.—With $150, to open a collecting and adjustment bureau in East St. Louis; party has years of experience in that business; references exchanged. Box P-129, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Good outside man; one who can get new business preferred; young man of good appearance; well established, profitable business established and growing; $1500 required. Box R-230, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PARTNER Wtd.—To buy half interest in concrete, stove, silo business, in good Missouri territory; business well established; orders ready for spring delivery; prospects for more business than factory's capacity; act quick, as will soon be season for work; don't answer unless you mean business. Box J-12, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Young man, with bookkeeping and general office experience, and a few hundred dollars to invest; desires to connect himself with some legitimate business; if you are looking for a partner and your business will stand strict investigation, let me hear from you; no questions; references; not afraid of work. Box D-151, Post-Dispatch.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

ADVERTISING SOLICITORS—3 first-class men to work mug scheme; call Monday afternoon. 415 N. 8th st., 3d floor.

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CANVASSERS—Premium book men; salary and commission. Call 1311 S. Broadway.

CANVASSERS—Women; house; for new toilet articles; easy seller; salary. Call 4:30 p. m., 815 N. 8th st., 3d floor.

CANVASSERS—Sell our wringers, vacuum cleaners, pictures, curtains, etc.; from wagons; installments. 1108 Locust. (c)

CANVASSER—Lady to canvas; good money for the right party. Call Room 3, 615 N. 18th st.

CANVASSERS—Our Ho-Ko-Co skin soap and toilet article plan has everything beat for profits. Rotheo, 217 N. 2d st., St. Louis, Mo.

CANVASSERS—I can use 20 men and women for specialty lines that will net them 100 per cent profits. Address Burnet McLaran, 400 Pontiac Bldg.

CORSET SOLICITOR—A good one who knows how to take correct measurements. Box H-229, Post-Dispatch.

LADY CANVASSERS—For easy selling article. The Wirtzwein Co., 4226 Easton. (c99)

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SOLICITORS—10 ladies to take orders; $1.00 a day. Call 5847A Garfield av. (c)

SOLICITOR—Acquainted with city florist, lawn commission. Box H-240, P.-D. (c)

SOLICITOR—Good, on commission, to call on wholesale houses. Box F-34, P.-D.

SOLICITORS—Two, Catholic; near appearance, good selling proposition. Call O'Keeffe, 502 Wainwright Bldg.

SOLICITOR—Man who "knows how;" casing business; little capital needed; big profits; write for booklet. Ben-Vonde System, Dept. 251, Charlotte, N. C.

SOLICITORS—Exclusive, highly remunerative position open; only ladies over 25, good personality and who can give references, need apply. 512 Pontiac Bldg. (c)

SOLICITORS—Experienced, to take orders for cooking apparatus; premiums; best proposition to good men; steady employment. Great Eastern Coffee and Tea Co., 801 Franklin av.

SOLICITORS—15 of the best, male or female; we have the goods that sell; you have the ability to handle them; the two together we can make from $2 to $5 per day commission. Call Sunday, 2:30 p. m., Monday 8:30 a. m. 1924 S. Taylor.

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HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

ADDRESSERS—Several, apply in own handwriting, salary $7 to $8 week, employment for about 2 months. St. Louis Spectacle House, 312 N. Ewing.

APPRENTICE—To learn dressmaking and ladies' tailoring. 2836 Chippewa.

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BATH ATTENDANT—By March 1; ladies' bath attendant; good home and steady place. Address Health Resort, Bowling Green, Mo. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—And stenographer; experienced in sheet metal shop. 1101 Madison. Tyler 3800. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—And stenographer; young lady; must be experienced, neat and write good hand. Box F-11, Post-Dispatch.

BINDERY GIRLS—Experienced. General Printing Co., 1017 Pine.

BUTTONHOLE MAKER—HAND; ON FINE CUSTOM-MADE SHIRTS. APPLY BEHR MANX SHIRT CO., 1111 WASHINGTON AV.

BUTTONHOLE OPERATORS—And allround stitchers; experienced on ladies' shoes. 815 Locust st.

BUTTON SEWERS—And skirt finishers. Apply Lile Selzer Garment Co., 321 N. 14th.

BUTTON SEWERS—On suits and skirts; steady work. Apply Fishman-Soltz Garment Co., 703 Lucas, 6th floor.

CHAMBERMAID—Experienced; also experienced on button sewing machines. Apply American Petticoat Co., 815 N. 9th, 4th floor.

CASHIER—Experienced young lady; and bookkeeper; no Sunday work; call this morning between 9 and 11. Kohn's Market, 5111 Delmar.

COOK—Experienced white preferred. Call at once, Mayfield Hospital, 926 N. Taylor. (c)

COOK—Good, with references; in suburbs; good wages. Cabany 2973. (c)

COOK—Middle-aged woman to assist with cooking and housework. 6122 Delmar.

COOK—Experienced, assist with housework; small family; call 5250 Westminster. (c)

COOK—White woman, experienced, for small family; no washing. Box H-236, Post-Dis. (c)

COOK—Good, plain, also experienced girl for general housework, references required. 5 Kingsbury Bldg., St. Louis. (c99)

COOK—Thoroughly experienced, while girl or woman, unincumbered, for private family; one who understands modern cooking and baking; wages $30; nice room with closets and bath; only references required. Box Y-2, Post-Dispatch.

DISHWASHER—Young; at once. 1510 Wash.

DRESSMAKER—Experienced. Macdonald Mfg. Co., 5th floor, 11th st.

DRESSMAKER—Experienced, to learn ladies' tailoring; will pay small wages. D. Fadem, 391 N. Euclid.

DRESSMAKERS—Ladies to take interest in business in West End, or one who can take charge. Box R-68, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER'S HELPER—Don't apply unless competent; call Monday. 4400 Olive, apartment C.

EXAMINER—Experienced on ladies' skirts; permanent position, good pay; apply 5th floor, Marquette Cloak and Suit Co., 1009 Washington.

HOSIERY GIRLS—All kinds of work, especially power machine operators; register at 1411 Locust st. A. Employment Department.

FEATHER BRANCHERS—And flower makers; experienced; will also take a few girls to learn. Apply Missouri Feather Mfg. Co., 11th and Pine.

FIRST COOK—Experienced; references. Call Monday morning, Jewish Hospital, 3415 Delmar. (c)

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GIRL—For general housework. 3970 Flad.

GIRL—For coffee house. 1904 S. 3d st.

GIRL—For general housework; family of 3; no washing. 4360 N. 20th.

GIRL—Experienced for candy store; references. 428 N. Vandeventer av.

GIRL—To help with light housework; call 4:30 to 6:30. 5718 S. Compton.

GIRLS—To work in factory. Rosen, Reichardt Brokerage Co., 800 Spruce. (c)

GIRL—For general housework; small family. 4329 Maryland.

GIRL—To go home than wages. Call Sunday at 4753A Easton.

GIRL—Under 17, to help with baby. 3908 Russell.

GIRL—Good, for general housework; good wages. Apply 4234 Manchester. (c)

GIRL—Good German; general housework; no washing. 5954 Vernon.

GIRL—For general housework; references required. Call Monday morning, 5055 Page.

GIRL—Young, to assist housework; good home; small wages. Box H-98, Post-Dis.(c)

GIRL—Good, familiar with children; references. Phone Grand 1713R. 4020 De Tonty.

GIRL—Smart, 16, to learn to operate button hole machine. 3058 Hamilton.

GIRL—For general housework in bakery. 2276 Alice av.

GIRL—For general housework. 4448 Washington. (c)

GIRL—For general housework; small family. 6170 McPherson.

GIRL—Colored; for general housework. 5170 Von Versen.

GIRL—Young, to assist with housework and children. Call 4026 Castleman. (c)

GIRL OR WOMAN—Good home; small wages. Cabany 1628R.

GIRL—To do general housework and assist with cooking. Call 5387 Page.

GIRL—For light housework. Apply 1027 N. Grand av., Sunday.

GIRL—Who understands groceries and willing to work around store. Box R-35, Post-Dis.

GIRL—For silver pantry. Apply to chef, Berlin Hotel, Taylor and Berlin avs.

GIRL—For general housework and cooking; no washing; references. 5948 Waterman.

GIRL—For light housework; elderly lady; light work; good home. 2839 N. Spring.

GIRL—Young girl to care for baby, $1.50 week. Forest Park.

GIRLS—To learn millinery; paid while learning. Apply Monday morning. Hughes Millinery, 4217 Olive av.

GIRL—White, between 14 and 16, for light housework; state wages, references. Box 11-236, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HELP WANTED-WOMEN, GIRLS

GIRL—About 16 years old to take care of 2 children and assist wife in 3-room flat. Apply 4279 Kennerly.

GIRL—Who understands sewing, to learn making middies; will pay while learning. Consolidated Garment Co., 1324 Washington.

GIRL—Competent, for general housework; must be A1; references required. Cal Forest 2578, Bell phone.

GIRL—Experienced; general housework in small family; good wages. Third floor west, 5124 Berlin. (c)

GIRL—To learn sewing in first-class dressmaking establishment; paid while learning. Box H-250, Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS—Two, one to cook and assist with housework; other to take care of children; city references required. 1837 S. Compton. (c)

GIRL—Experienced for general housework; no laundry; good wages. Call Cabany 4210, 6325 Washington. (c)

GIRLS—Chance learn ladies' tailoring, dressmaking. Ladies' Tailoring Co., 3697C Olive; phone Lindell 4895. (c)

GIRL—For general housework; must be good plain cook; references required. 5245 Waterman.

GIRL—For kitchen work, $25 month; board and room; colored maid, $4 week and board; apply 15 N. 9th st.

GIRL—White, for general housework; no laundry work; references required. 4258 Raymond.

GIRL—White, for general housework; washing and ironing; small family. 5800 Clemens, apartment D.

GIRL—For general housework; no washing; references required. 518 Atlantic, Webster Groves.

GIRL—To make herself useful around lunch stand; state wages; experience not necessary. Box F-63, P.-D.

GIRLS—Experienced on power machines; good wages. Ziegler-Stein-Poulson Mfg. Co., 1105 Washington.

GIRLS—Experienced in making and trimming ladies' hats; good wages. Ziegler-Stein-Poulson Mfg. Co., 1105 Washington.

GIRL—To assist in housework 2 hours, twice weekly, in exchange for piano lessons; references desired. Box F-241, P.-D. (c)

GIRLS—Experienced, to sew tents and awnings. Baptiste Tent and Awning Co., 812 N. 3d st.

GIRLS—Between 14 and 15 years of age, to run errands in factory. New Era Shirt Factory, 801 Washington av. (c)

GIRLS—Experienced, for filling in form letters and addressing envelopes. Underwood; salary and permanent position; only experienced need apply. Room 1, 210 Olive. (c)

GIRL—Experienced, for general housework; small family; no washing; $25. Call after 6 o'clock; references required. 4220 Westminster pl.

GIRL—Over 16, for wrapping packages in office, downtown; hours 8 to 5; Saturday half day; $6 per week; state age, experience and nationality. Box D-24, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—For general office work and posting. SWOPE SHOE CO., Olive at 10th st.

GIRL—Neat, experienced; for general housework in family of three grown persons; must be good cook; no beginners wanted; no washing or outside work; first-class wages to strictly first-class girl. 27 Dartford av. Take University or Delmar car and transfer to Clayton line; conductor will direct.

GIRLS—Over 16 and under 20 years. MALLINCKRODT CHEMICAL WORKS, 3600 N. 2d st. (c83)

GLUE GIRLS—Experienced, and paper-box makers. Apply Ely & Walker Paper Box Factory, 16th and Locust sts. (c)

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To finish dresses, good pay; steady work. MR. ALBERSTEIN, 1110 Washington av., Eighth floor. (c)

HIRED GIRL—Apply 210 N. Grand or 5304 Wells av., between 9 and 12. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White girl, for light housework. 4012 Enright.

HOUSEGIRL—Neat; call Monday. 4051 Maffitt av.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework and assist invalid. 4061A Shenandoah.

HOUSEGIRL—Good, white, for general housework. 6107 McPherson av.

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AN established manufacturer wants State manager; high-class article; should pay good annually; $300 to $700 capital; will pay expenses to Chicago if you are the man we want. Sales Manager, 1012 Republic Bldg., Chicago.

ANY intelligent person, either sex, of good education and business ability; must be able to handle correspondence and write a good business letter; an opportunity to start a small but profitable mail order business in spare time or office, good for $100 a week when established; can be managed in spare time, evenings or as a side line at first; grows rapidly. Send for particulars. Hancock Co., 726 Hancock Bldg., Lockport, N. Y. (c99)

BAKER—German preferred; first-class and strictly sober, with some capital, as partner in establishing first-class bakery in Louisiana town of 15,000; splendid opportunity; references exchanged. Address Box P-22, P.-D.

BOOKKEEPER—About 25, with $1000, for good position; fine opportunity for right man; references; call today 10 to 12. 329 Security Bldg.

BURGLAR ALARM patent for sale or trade; inventor broke; died and cute made; cash or trade; bargain. Box F-81, P.-D.

BUSINESS connection wanted by reliable young man, in good business; state particulars. Box F-9, Post-Dispatch. (1)

BUSINESS WOMAN—Would like to represent manufacturer as sales manager; is experienced; excellent references; well equipped office and can command good agency forces. Box F-69, Post-Dispatch.

CAN INVEST $5000 actively in paying, profitable business, manufacturing preferred; no promotion or retail considered; 3 years principals only. 3044 Lawton. (c)

Experienced; must be accurate. New American store. (c)

Experienced. F. C. Mil- 4064 Easton. (c)

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CAPABLE sales manager, big proposition to right party; $3000 to $5000 yearly; this is legitimate; investigate. Box X-264, Post-Dispatch.

CASH—Wanted, manufacturer wants connection with reliable parties or firms; to such will allow 10 per cent; start business for yourself. Cardo Co., 1807 Chouteau av.

CHINESE ENERGY MAKERS—Book of money-getting ideas, 10c. Dr. Henrich, 1803 College, East St. Louis, Ill.

CHARTERS—Delaware; best, cheapest, granted day received; nothing need be paid in; investigate. Corporation Counsel, 1216 Commercial, Kansas City, Mo.

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CO-OPERATIVE POULTRY FARM—Your spare dollars invested now will yield good dividends; business to own your own poultry farm. Swastika Leghorn Farm, Clayton, Mo.

DISTRIBUTOR—For well-known make of automobile covering St. Louis and adjoining territory; backed by national advertising campaign; car established trade, and excellent reputation; splendid proposition to right party; full particulars to responsible parties. Box N-280, Post-Dispatch.

DOUBLE your money; buy Gary lots and acres; Gary population will increase 25,000 during 1916; easy payments, special prices for cash. Frank Maas, owner, Gary, Ind.

DRUG STORE Wtd.—Exchange good income for good paying drug store. Box R-50, Post-Dispatch.

EARN $100 weekly managing clean, legitimate mail order business; furnish everything; right party need no worry about capital; splendid chance for beginner; employed person to control independent business as profit-sharing basis, beginning in spare time, evenings or as side line at first. Opportunities Exchange, Buffalo, N. Y.

EXCHANGE 9-room West End house for drug store. Box R-46, Post-Dispatch.

FACTORY—For sale; large factory property, machine shop, foundry; suitable for automobile factory; Nashville, Tenn., plenty material and labor; easy terms; bargain. Board, 1110 Ashland Block, Chicago.

FOR SALE—Complete carpet cleaning and rug works; will sell at a sacrifice; owner's death, reason for selling. Address D. C. Riley, Keokuk, Ia.

FOR SALE—Fully equipped restaurant, 1227 N. Leonard av.; ready to do business; very fine location; opportunity don't make good money; call between 2 and 4 p. m. today. Box Y-38, Post-Dispatch.

FOR SALE—Greenhouse on 3 acres yield $5000 per year; $280 down, 306 Times Bldg.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET Wtd.—In exchange for an 8-room brick, water-heated modern flat; bath, combination fixtures. Delmar 4197R.

GROCERY—Will put in business of your own; get out of the wage earners' class; your cooperation with our factory starts you with little capital; unique plan; no soliciting; no canvassing; we manufacture exclusive articles; no canvassing; experience unnecessary; write for booklet and proposition; it costs you nothing. Dept. D-38, 68 Broadway, Buffalo, N. Y.

HALF INTEREST in well-paying business, that $150 month; must be worth investigated; $800 required. Box H-278, P.-D. (c)

HAVE a complete bindery, would like to connect with first-class printing house; have good printing trade. Box D-35, Post-Dispatch.

HERE'S chance for $5 or $50 investment; sure, sane, sane; positions being made in it; newly discovered field; 2500 acres tied up; open oil, shale and gas leases; company's company first in field; oil also sighted; stock at 25c a share; company Leeder, Oklahoma Zinc Co., Dept. 2, Leeder, Okla. (99)

HOTEL—Best location in city; nicely furnished; restaurant, lunchroom, cabaret; doing nice business; rooms filled; must sell management income; investigate. Evans, 509 N. Broadway.

HOUSEHOLD article, absolute necessity; new; patented; exclusive opportunity; right man with capital; investigate. Box D-13, Post-Dispatch.

INVESTIGATE weekly during spare time at home, with a little mail order scheme that beats all; something new; all profit. Address Box 1, New Baltimore, Mich.

IF YOU will invest in a gold mine showing promise of raising another crop of millions, write for booklet. Mountain Flower Gold Mining Co., St. Joseph, Mo. (99)

I HAVE several hundred dollars to invest in a good business or a patent, state particulars. Box D-218, Post-Dispatch.

INCORPORATE your business; avoid partnership; protect private personal property from business risks; forms and minute book and information free. Phillip Lawrence, formerly assistant Secretary State, Huron, S. D., South Dakota ay.

I NEED $100,000 at once in my well established business; pay 7 per cent, and give 6 times the amount of first-class collateral as security, or would consider partnership; my business is one of $100 worth of merchandise daily, and have orders in house for months; strictly confidential. Box X-155, Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE in operation the nucleus of what can be quickly developed into a large and very profitable business; there are several reasons like it here and they've all made big money; quite an unusual kind of manufacturing; it will stand the most rigid investigation and afford ample security for every dollar put in; a man with some business sagacity also to give the necessary attention and watching after looking into the matter fully and being convinced that it is just as represented. This is something entirely out of the ordinary and the possibilities are unlimited. Box F-89, Post-Dispatch.

INVENTORS—We develop and perfect inventions, make models, dies, tools, metal stamping and special manufacturing. Gerding Bros., Lion Bldg., Cincinnati, O.

I WANT $10, MAY MAKE FORTUNE—Co-operative enterprise; get interested such as in valuable lease and well in Texas proven oil field now making millions; $1 monthly; $10 per share. Write Texas Co., Box 436, Mercedes, Tex. (99)

I WANT to join the right party with capital to developing cattle ranch or small farm subdivision; $16,000 to $20,000 required. Address "Owner," 501 Grand Bldg., Macon, Ga.

ORANGES and grapefruit groves; best cooperative plan; opportunity for part time investment on small scale. We do the work and look after the property for a share of the profits. Illustrated book free. P. O. Box 436, Mercedes, Tex. (99)

PARTNER Wtd.—Young man, with plenty of pep, to take half interest in three well-to-do male business; must be a hustler and well recommended. Box N-237, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PATENT—For sale; all or part; patented right, a jewelry novelty; it is a hatpin stand and point protector; will sell cheap for cash. For full information, communicate with E. C. Meckfessel, 1125 Gano av., city.

PARTNER for permanent manufacturing business, with some capital; unlimited future. Box D-137, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER with good reputation and $1500 wanted in forming incorporation company, with reliable parties; salary from start. Box R-81, Post-Dispatch.

PRODUCING OIL LEASE—Famous Nowata (Ok.) field, fully equipped, now paying 15 per cent on investment; will sacrifice for cash, or exchange for clear property; will bear one-fourth of royalties; consists of 60 acres, 3 producing wells, 9 outside locations yet to drill. Possible to increase production tenfold by drilling additional wells with present earnings; daily production now from 17 to 20 barrels; can be increased to show enormous profits; an excellent, clean deal to syndicate; expenses to property and return to responsible parties; searching investigation invited; at a bargain, for good reasons. E. J. Albert, 237 Midland Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. (c)

SELL metal advertising novelties; large commission; write for catalogue; state qualifications. Gustave Fox Co., Cincinnati, O.

SELL your farm or business quickly for cash, no matter where located; trades a specialty; information free. Kubat Realty Co., Chippewa Falls, Wis., desk 19.

START a secondhand store; we will help you; no experience needed; very little capital; free particulars. O. Worth, Manager, Owosso, Mich. (99)

START a business for yourself; all or spare time; booklet describing 666 opportunities for stamp. Elite Adv. Agency, Hackensack, N. J.

THIS world war makes America the first manufacturing nation; get in line to make your fortune as others are doing; get in on one or more of the following new inventions: Richardson's hay fork, Sekule's curtain fixture, Baggett's quick-acting shaft hook, Pair's corn and cotton planter, Walick's hat and head protector; Schmidt's keyless lock, Kelly's mash balance, Todd's fire escape, Frisbie's spark plug, Hoag's marine game, Yamada's window cleaning attachment. Buy 1 or 5000 rights; inventors 25,000 broker, Hindman's hydrant guard, Houston's broom, Peterson's trapper's belt; McFrankiln's lamp, chimney attachment, Hoffman's anti-kick for cows; call, phone or write for particulars. Phone 6236 Main. Flint Mfg. Co., 2007 Railway Exchange, St. Louis, Mo. (c)

THOROUGHLY capable merchandise or office man, now employed, but diligent, and services to offer suitable proposition; strictly highest references essential. Box D-37, Post-Dispatch.

TOY home workers wanted; make toy soldiers; war stopped importation; great demand; side line; business large enough for store. Box R-46, Post-Dispatch.

TYPE WANTED—For sale; large factory property, machine shop, foundry; suitable for automobile factory; Nashville, Tenn., plenty material and labor; easy terms; bargain. Board, 1110 Ashland Block, Chicago.

UNUSUAL business proposition; requires a live man with capital. Address Box D-196, P.-D.

WANT to sell entire interest in air purifier for hot-air furnaces; owner's health reason for seller; no competition. Box D-207, Post-Dispatch.

WANT—Honest young man or widow, with $500, $700, to join me in first-class business proposition; good position and big profits; references furnished. Box D-271, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman bookkeeper, with $500 and services; two hours daily; manufactory. Box F-34, Post-Dispatch.

WANT active man with $1500 to buy out my partner in restaurant in hotel center, costing over $8000. Box F-39, P.-D.

WANTED—To invest $400 to $600 with services in good, legitimate business concern. Box 344, Shelbyville, Mo.

WANTED—Interested parties, manufacture direct drive cushion wheels, motor vehicles; patented, new, practical, fast party; no trifflers. Geo. M. Peters, Kirkwood, Mo. (99)

WANTED—To hear from the principal cigar manufacturers in the United States; a business proposition worth investigating. Box D-51, Post-Dispatch

WANTED—Man to learn wall paper business before the rush; married, about 30 years; must take charge May 1; $200 deposit required; rare opportunity for workingman. Ferrick, 3223 Morgan st.

WANTED—Party to operate 10-passenger aeroplane at resorts, on shares; special inducement for man to furnish machine at once. Address Gordon's Aerial Shipyard, Ashley, Ill.

WANTED—Energetic man to assist manager of auto tire agency; exceptional ability necessity; investment optional; reference; unusual opportunity. Phone Cabany 4261.

WANTED—Man, with allround experience in real estate business; must be capable to take charge of office; one with some capital preferred; fine opportunity to become associated with successful real estate concern. Box R-29, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Partner, by expert wall paper man, to help reap harvest this spring; 100,000 houses damaged last fall by rain, must be repapered now; will double money every two months; salary $25 each week reference; experience not essential; investment $2000. Box F-115, Post-Dispatch.

WE have or will find prospects for anything, anywhere in United States. We are not dealers. Guarantee service. Mathews-Rauch Publicity, 328 S. Mailers Bldg., Chicago.

WILL rent part of store to business, with ladies' trade; ideal location. 4541 Delmar.

WILL furnish party knowing good business $500; explain fully. Box D-264, P.-D.

WILL consider proposition from party who thoroughly understands mail order business. Box B-0, Post-Dispatch.

WOULD you like 50-75 dimes on each mail? Guaranteed plan silver quarter. Alvin, 2629 Gilbert av., Cincinnati, O.

WOULD you like to own a good-paying mail order business? We have a line that gets repeat orders all the time; you can start in spare time; invest a dollar or two a week and so own a nice business of your own; particulars free. Nadico, 4827 Lincoln av., Chicago, Ill.

YOUNG business man with good ability and some capital desires to become connected with a good, reliable firm. Box F-147, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—One who is seriously interested in forming a permanent co-operative connection to act as treasurer of well organized manufacturing company; Missouri corporation, located in St. Louis. This is a fine opportunity for a young man who is desirous of a business training. Box B-228, Post-Dispatch.

YOUR chance to secure fortunes from 4 oil wells by investing $75 in 5 lots; easy payments; prospectus free. Address H. C. Beaufort, Pasadena, Cal.

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BUSINESS CHANCES

$150 SECURES real estate security and interest in heart of Oklahoma oil district; with responsible St. Louis people. Box 185, Post-Dispatch.

DELAWARE CHARTERS PROCURED; Corporations organized ready for business; lowest cost; best legal and financial services; give particulars.

SECURITY INVESTMENT CO., 714-17 Ford Bldg., Wilmington, Del.

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Salary first year, $1800; man of office salesmanship or general business experience desired; established and growing business in one of the best locations in the country; national advertisers; prefer a man who would be permanent and take from $500 to $1000 interest, which can be arranged; business paying big profits; must furnish A1 references with first letter and telephone number. Box J-35, Post-Dispatch.

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Write for list of inventions wanted; $1,000,000 in cash prizes offered for inventions; our 4 books sent free; send sketch for free opinion as to patentability.

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If you have brains, ability and $10,000 to $20,000, you have the opportunity of a lifetime to connect as secretary and treasurer, or general manager, with a corporation that has a monopoly on an article of rare merit, with established national trade, with largest manufacturer of the world; 25 per cent guaranteed; references exchanged. Address "Owner," P. O. Box 87, New Albany, Ind. (90)

BUSINESS WANTED

AUTO REPAIR BUSINESS Wtd.—To buy, interest. Box D-42, Post-Dispatch.

BAKERY Wtd.—To buy; state price, full particulars. Box F-27, Post-Dispatch.

BAKERY Wtd.—By experienced baker and wife, to manage, with option to purchase after reasonable time; country preferred. Box D-150, PostDispatch.

BUSINESS Wtd.—Will pay cash for small, well-established. Box B-202, Post-Dis.

CARRIER'S ROUTE Wtd.—Give full particulars in first letter. Box C-98, Post-Dis.

CLEANING AND DYEING BUSINESS Wtd —To buy, dyeing and tailoring business; must be cheap. Box D-31, P.-D.

DRY GOODS STORE Wtd.—In exchange for $1700 equity in $5000 poultry plant; three blocks of Frisco Station at Lindenwood. Phone Benton 1166W; 7111 Thelozan. (c)

DRUG STORE Wtd.—To buy; must be reasonable; don't answer unless your business; part or all cash. Box R-44, P.-D.

GROCERY AND MARKET Wtd.—Or grocery and saloon. Box D-226, P.-D.

GROCERY Wtd.—Or variety store; $500 to $1000 will give cottage or 7-passenger automobile. Box 6315 St. Louis.

GROCERY Wtd.—Will exchange 1 lot or 2 lots for good stock; also water heater for sale; cost $50; particulars. Box R-47, P.-D.

GROCERY Wtd.—Or dry goods store, or anything else that is worth buying; will pay cash. Box D-110, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GROCERY Wtd.—And market. South St. Louis; well located and paying. Box B-194, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY Wtd.—Well located, paying, in exchange for modern South Side single flat equity and cash difference. Box N-175, Post-Dispatch.

MEAT MARKET Wtd.—To rent; with fixtures; in or out of city. 2047 Lafayette.

SALOON Wtd.—And grocery; to buy. G. Fred Plue, Lane and Harney, Normandy.

WE do refinishing of radiators, hardwood floors and interior woodwork, interior enameling and painting. L. Giantner, 8714 Meramec; Sidney 3896R.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS—Rare chance; big paying; investigate. Box C-18, P.-D.

AUTO REPAIR SHOP—Four own price; leaving city; today only. Cabany 4987R.

AUTO REPAIR SHOP—With 3 cars garaging and good trade; $1000; a bargain. Northeast corner 22d and St. Charles sts.

AUTO REPAIR SHOP—Up-to-date in every respect; business, well located, for sale; reason for selling, to close up an estate; shop is equipped with modern machinery, which is in perfect condition. Box N-47, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER SHOP—Good; good location. 3908 Easton.

BAKERY—Good reason for selling. Box D-127, Post-Dispatch.

BAKERY—Business or rent; with fixtures. 9526 S. Broadway.

BAKERY OUTFIT—Portable oven and all equipment; part time. 843 Newport av., Webster Groves.

BAKERY—With coffee house attached; good business; very reasonable. Apply 1202 Chouteau.

BAKERY—For sale, first-class bakery in town of 7000, in Illinois; sales $2200 last year. Address Box F-105, Post-Dispatch.

BAKERY—Best cash business $475 will buy anywhere; central location; established many years; must sell at once. Box D-40, Post-Dispatch.

BAKERY AND GROCERY—25 miles from city; only bakery in town; doing fine business; invoice, stock and fixtures; no charge for trade; must sell; taking over some other business. Box F-156, Post-Dispatch. (99)

BARBER SHOP—Good. 306 N. Ewing.

BARBER SHOP—Two bathrooms; leaving city. 3534 N. 14th.

BARBER SHOP—Owner has 2, will sell either. 601 Hickory.

BARBER SHOP—Good location; doing good business; 4 chairs, combination mirror; owner wishing to leave town. Call Monday, 1311 N. Leffingwell.

BARBER SHOP—Will sell half interest in a $800, 3-chair shop, for cash. Call for particulars. Address G. T. Knight, Litchfield, Ill.

BARBER SHOP—Two-chair; clearing $800 a year; no water license; rent $10; sickness cause to sell. Call afternoon, Sunday. 1718A Lisbon.

BARREL HOUSE—Good old stand; large stock of standard liquors; own lease; good reasons for selling. Inquire 1803 Olive st.

BLACKSMITH SHOP—In the healthy San Antonio, Tex., a first-class blacksmith shop, well located and doing a first-class business; reason for selling, will retire. For further particulars call at Campbell Iron Co., 321 Locust, St. Louis, or write H. R. Geyer, 331 Lanitte st., San Antonio, Tex. (99)

BOARDING HOUSE—Nine rooms, house full; sacrifice; leaving city. 1448 S. Grand.

BOARDING HOUSE—And rooming house, cheap. 3832 S. Broadway.

BOARDING HOUSE—13 well-furnished rooms; good-paying guests; Olive cars; reasonable. Box D-58, Post-Dispatch.

BOARDING HOUSE—Located on Westminster, near Lewprince, 11 elegantly furnished rooms, low rent; will make to cash buyer; have other business. Box F-101, P.-D.

BUSINESS—By commission company, a paying retail poultry business; cash or part time. Box F-25, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS—For sale; store, house, 16x32, and goods; blacksmith shop, 16x32, and tools; grain and coal business; full line. T. R. R. Address C. M. Bieser, Fiucom, Mo.

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BUSINESS FOR SALE

CONFECTIONERY—And ice cream parlor, good business, on a business street, in a school district on the South Side. Box F-146, Post-Dispatch.

CONFECTIONERY—Best West End transfer corner; elegant fountain and fixtures, complete ice cream machinery and candy tools; owner has other interests; real bargain. Wm. Steck, 5402 Easton.

CONFECTIONERY—Next door to the opera house; good business; plenty seating capacity; will arrange directly opposite; parties with means only need apply. Address 835 Main st., Tell City, Ind.

CONFECTIONERY—Up-to-date retail and ice cream business; best location in Illinois town of 2000, 60 miles from St. Louis; good chance for candymaker; none in town; terms, will consider small farm in trade. Address P. O. Box 195, Highland, Wis.

COUNTRY STORE—A money-maker; good trading point; low expenses; big trade territory; a sure and easy money-maker; $1000 to $2000 will handle; part time if secured. If you want soundlink really good. Investigate. Box J-36, Post-Dispatch.

CREAMERY—Grocery and meat market; best cash trades here is where you can make some change; may trade a little real estate; get busy. Box D-48.

DAIRY—250 cows and route; farm implements, in county, north. Box D-120, Post-Dis.

DELICATESSEN—Sausage stand; good business; cooperative plan; opportunity for part time investment on small scale. We do the work and look after the property for a share of the profits. Illustrated book free. P. O. Box 436, Mercedes, Tex. (99)

DENTAL PRACTICE—Downtown; and outfit; established locality. Box N-235, P.-D.

DRUG STORE—Central Mo.; monthly profit $314; owner going West. Box J-32, P.-D.

DRUG STORE—Paying; first-class condition; will pump on invoice. Address Lock Box 254, East Alton, Ill. (99)

DRUG STORE—Northwest part of city, on car line; 4-man store; flat above. Box H-210, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—Small; doing good business; reason, ill health. Address Drug Store, Ashburn, Mo.

DRUG STORE FIXTURES—Complete set of fixtures and stock, all or part; good as new; up to date. W. O. Luly, Alton, Ill.

DRUG STORE—Oak fixtures; complete showcases, shelf bottles, register, fountain. 4872 Delmar. (7)

DRY GOODS STORE—Worth $1500, will take $1000 if sold this week. Box R-48, Post-Dispatch.

DRY GOODS STORE—Account of ill-health; good location; cheap rent; East St. Louis. Box B-224, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—Sure money-making corner; downtown; long established; low rent. Box E-257, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—A good one-man stand; must sell quick, worth $2500, will sell for $1500. 5094 Easton. East 2685, or Delmar 1797.

DRUG STORE—Old established, paying business; good location; low rent; reasonable; good opportunity for a doctor. Box D-80, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—Owing to health of proprietor; one of the best-paying in city; profits of two hospitals; must be sold. For particulars, Box B-73, Post-Dispatch.

DRY CLEANING PLANT—For sale; 4 two-horse machines, 36-inch tumbler, 7 36-inch extractor, shafting, belting, etc., all in good running condition. Box B-170, P.-D.

FLORIST BUSINESS—Retail; established years; $900 to $1000; selling account of sickness. W. M. C. Smith, 1516 Pine.

FLORIST BUSINESS—Good location; fine chance for right party; other business. Box H-104, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FURNITURE STORE—Must be sold; cheap; 3432 Easton.

FURNISHED HOUSE—For sale; seven rooms, well furnished; best location in city; must sacrifice; leaving city. Call 2216 Cleveland.

GARAGE BUILDING—Ground and all; finely located; remodeled business; by shop 20x50; $3000; half cash. Box C-174, P.-D.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE—Nice, clean stock; in good Illinois town of 600; business conducted by present owner for the past 9 years; will sell right. Address Look Box 12, Bayla, Ill.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS—Shoes and clothing clean stock; best location in most thriving mining town of Southern Illinois, 6500 population; will sell at invoice; big trade; price for quick buyer. Apply 511 Benoist Bldg.

GROCERY—3501 Chouteau av.

GROCERY—And meat market. 5882 Easton.

GROCERY—Fine grocery and meat market; will trade or invoice. Box H-240, P.-D.

GROCERY—And meat market; old established corner; good cash trade. 6401 Spencer pl.

GROCERY—And meat market; good location; retiring from business. Box D-148, Post-Dispatch.

GROCER—Room for market; cash trade; no delivery; cheap rent; clean stock; modern fixtures; must sell. Box N-233, P.-D.

GROCERY—For sale; top wagon, horse and harness, in good condition. Call at 4359 S. Broadway.

GROCERY—And meat market; well paying business; cash trade; good stock. Box B-220, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY AND MARKET—Central West End; doing $3000 business per month; invoice about $2000. Box F-166, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And meat market, or will sell meat market in grocery store. Box R-242, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—For sale; and meat market; all cash counter trade; no delivery. 2012 N. 15th st.

GROCERY—For sale, or exchange for a 4-room cottage or a 6-room flat, near Wellston line; city. Box B-271, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—For sale, and meat market, West End location; selling on account of family trouble. Inquire 6162 Bertha.

GROCERY—And notion store, with 8 rooms of living; cheap; 1st door in city. 4107 Natural Bridge.

GROCERY, SALOON AND MEAT MARKET Wtd.—Have business; reason for selling. 4428 N. Broadway. Phone Central 8284.

GROCERY—And saloon, first-class; on car line; low rent; a winner. Box D-146, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Clean stock and fixtures; 4 rooms; lady must manage; sell invoice or jump; $425; or trade for diamonds. Call today. 6401 Page.

GROCERY—And market; attractive corner; near churches and school; profitable, established business; no agents; for cash. Box F-122, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY AND MARKET—Busy southwestern corner; fine Catholic neighborhood, best location in south; must sell immediately. Box D-44, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—For sale; finest grocery and market in city; doing fine business; would consider part vacant ground; don't miss this. Box D-59, P.-D.

GROCERY—Small store room for meat market; bargain if sold at once; good reason for selling; soda fountain and counter also; 1851 S. Broadway, near Lynch. Call afternoon, 6 to 8.

GROCERY—For sale; corner; and market; rent $25; average cash sales $70 per day; will invoice about $1000; located 6000 west; no agents. Box B-86, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And meat market; good; on the south side; will sell or trade; will sell small payments; good proposition. Box R-37, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Fine cash counter trade; low rent; mostly canned goods; invoice about $1200. Box H-295, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Good paying; reason, have two. Box R-201, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Restaurant, rooming house; good location. Empire Brewery.

GROCERY—Sell or trade; what have you to offer? Box H-264, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And cafe, very cheap; sales $30 to $45 per day; disagreement of partners. Box 4857 Maffitt.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

MEAT MARKET—And grocery; or any part of fixtures or stock; going this week. 742 S. 4th st.

MEAT MARKET—Cheap; it will pay to investigate. 806 S. 2d st., city. Phone Kinloch Central 8164.

MEAT MARKET—Northwestern part city; old-established cash business, adjoining grocery; no delivery; sickness forces quick sale. Box D-46, Post-Dispatch.

MEAT AND VEGETABLE MARKET—South St. Louis; established; modern sausage plan in connection; $1350 includes everything. Box D-181, Post-Dispatch.

MERCHANT TAILOR STORE—Up-to-date; doing good business; live Illinois town of 7000 population; owner sick. Box J-20, Post-Dispatch. (8)

MILLINERY SHOP—Well established, splendid opportunity. Box R-47, Post-Dis.

MILLINERY STORE—Only one in county seat of 1500; sickness reason for selling. Box 429, Jonesboro, Ill.

MILLINERY—And hair dressing, fine cash trade, reason, poor health. 1072 Hodiamont.

MILLINERY STORE—Established business will sell cheap. Inquire upstairs, 2000 N. 25th.

MILLINERY AND ART STORE—No opposition; sacrifice if sold at once; located in a good town, population about 700; selling on account of sickness. Box F-154, Post-Dispatch.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW—Seating 700; well located. Box R-257, Post-Dispatch.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW—Doing good business; sacrifice; disagreement of partners. Box F-93, Post-Dispatch.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW—Doing good business; reason, leaving city. Apply 3205 Olive.

RESTAURANT—Banking district; closed Chouteau; fine hundred handiest. Box F-151, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—Fully equipped; good location; cheap rent; will sacrifice for $75 cash. 1309 Market st.

RESTAURANT—Established 12 years; steady business; transfer $400; 2 doors neighborhood; no opposition; owner retiring; investigate. 5175 Easton av.

RESTAURANT—Old established stand, on busiest transfer corner in East St. Louis; average receipts $50 per day, rent $35; sickness cause selling. Box R-107, Post-Dis.(1)

RESTAURANT—Located on Locust, near Way, in West End; seating 32 at tables; 16 at counter; first-class, modern equipment; average sales, $50 per day; cash buyer wanted. Box B-26, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—Doing good business; established 12 years; low rent; will take in a partner; reason for selling, ill health; unusual opportunity for one who is looking for paying business. Box D-259, Post-Dispatch.

REPAIR SHOP—And garage. Call Sunday, 5423 Rosalie st.

RETAIL SHOE BUSINESS—For sale; exclusive; doing $35,000 yearly; repair department; profits pays rent of store, clean stock; invoice about $1500; owner wishes to retire to step in well established business; no trades; for particulars, address Box 295, Wellington, Ill.

ROOMING HOUSE—9 rooms; income $80; rent $27; price $175. Call 1834 Kennett pl.

ROOMING HOUSE—Income $150 month, at a bargain. 2010 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSE—Eight rooms; leaving city; call Sunday. 703 N. Channing.

ROOMING HOUSE—30 rooms; steam heat, electric lights; $500 cash. 3006 Locust.

ROOMING HOUSE—Four rooms, light house-keeping; $80 cash; by 15th. 3836 Windsor pl.

ROOMING HOUSE—13 rooms, good; fine income; a bargain; owner leaving city. 5144 Market st.

ROOMING HOUSE—7 rooms, all occupied; furnace heat, hot and cold water. 717 N. Jefferson.

ROOMING HOUSE—6 furnished rooms, conveniences; 3 car lines; cheap; sickness; call today. 3351 Morgan.

ROOMING HOUSE—20 rooms, steam heat; rent $200; will sell or trade, or will sell small payments; good proposition. Box F-2, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—18 rooms downtown district; low rent; a fine chance for man and wife to make money. Price $400. Box D-162, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; full; west of Grand; money maker; cheap rent; cash bargain; trade for real estate. Box R-52, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms, nicely furnished; fine location; full nice people; terms; will trade for farm, automobile, other property. 2908 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms; full; also good transit trade; am called from city; important business. See owner, Monday, 1002A Market st.

ROOMING AND BOARDING HOUSE—First-class; beautifully furnished; 2 and 3 in every room, clearing $165 profit monthly. Box H-68, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING APARTMENT—On King's highway; nearly 3 square. 8 months' lease, 4 rooms already rented; also 5 sleeping rooms. Inquire 922 N. King's highway.

ROOMING HOUSE—Lady conducting successful rooming house, 13 rooms, on Delmar; personal reasons for retiring; will sell; reasonable terms. Apply 5228 Delmar bl.

ROOMING—And boarding house; filled with fine people; splendid neighborhood; selling on account of death; near Benton Park. 3009 S. Jefferson.

ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms, furnished complete; bath, gas; 4 car lines; 4 blocks from Union Station; good location; very reasonable or trade with cash for larger. 1413 Market.

ROOMING HOUSE—And boarding house; 20 nicely furnished rooms, 22 regular boarders, 20 extra; good paying business; will sell cheap for quick sale on easy payments; come and see this bargain. 2631 Washington.

ROOMING—And boarding house, on Westminster, near Vandeventer; present income $130; 11 rooms, elegantly furnished; will make low cash price; have other business. Box F-56, Post-Dispatch.

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ROOMING HOUSE—The best located and best known in St. Louis; men only; 45-room

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

CASH REGISTER Wtd.—Give full description and price. Box B-174, Post-Dispatch.

CASH REGISTER Wtd.—3c to $99.99 or higher; state price. Box F-33, Post-Dis.

CASH REGISTER Wtd.—5c to $5; first-class condition; state particulars, cash price. Box D-242, Post-Dispatch.

CLOTHING—Cast-off, bought, men's suits, $3 up; ladies' suits and dresses, your own terms. Olive 175, Central 9036L. H. Bank, 407 Biddle st. (c8)

CLOTHING—Cost-off bought; 500 suits, overcoats; pay $2 up; also ladies' dresses; will call at once. Delmar 865, Fores: 767, Gelber, 4429 Page. (c8)

DEER HEADS—For sale, three fine deer heads and furniture, breaking up housekeeping; no dealers. 3710 N. Grand av., Tyler 2540W. (c)

DESK Wtd.—Flat top, and office chair, oak finish; send cut or sketch arrangement of drawers; state price. Box H-58, Post-Dis.

EAGLE STAMPS Wtd.—Cash paid for loose Eagle Stamps or unfinished books. 2965 Chouteau.

EAGLE STAMPS Wtd.—Tobacco tags, coupons. 3126 Easton. Moved from 2321 Franklin.

FURNACES Wtd.—Two hot-air. Dockery, 3615 Easton. Lindell 747. (c)

GAS WATER HEATER Wtd.—Instantaneous Rheem & Stuart; price must be good condition. 4124 Walbridge pl.

HEATER Wtd.—Moore's airtight medium, must be well made, $10; must be in good condition; write L. Charleville, 3530A Caroline.

HOT-AIR FURNACE Wtd.—Any size; state size and price. Fred, 3627 Cass av.

ICE CUTTER Wtd.—Ice cube cutting machine and crusher. Kaiserhof Cafe; call Sidney Steed.

INVALID CHAIR Wtd.—Rubber-tired; state condition and price. Box H-230, P.-D.

MISS J. MIL Buys and sells ladies' and gents' slightly worn street and evening clothing. 607 Walnut st. Central 8711. Olive 1243. (c99)

POULTRY WIRE Wtd.—About 450 sq. feet of secondhand. Call Victor 2845R. (c)

REFRIGERATOR Wtd.—Buchre's, secondhand; state dimensions and price. Box B-222, Post-Dispatch.

LOG SAW Wtd.—Portable, with power 2 cars timber to cut. G. Salzacelor, 109 St. George st.

SAFES Wtd.—Secondhand; state size and price. Home Co., 4720 Easton av. Forest 2648. Delmar 694.

SODA FOUNTAIN Wtd.—To buy, S-foot, with 6-foot back bar; state terms. Box R-184, Post-Dispatch.

SODA FOUNTAIN Wtd.—Old wall style preferred; will pay cash. Address Box R-79, Post-Dispatch. (8)

STAMPS Wtd.—Eagle and Lamb; loose or unfinished books; drop postal. 1109 Victor st.

STEAM FITTERS' TOOLS Wtd.—Also tool box; cheap for cash. Box D-278, P.-D.

STOVE WATER HEATER Wtd.—To buy A1 Whale. Phone Victor 978, Sidney 727.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Best cash prices for contents flats, residences; large or small lots. 2618 Franklin. Bomont, Cen. 2978. (c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Dining room suit, rugs, beds; state price. Tronske, 2219 State st., Granite City, Ill.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Of all kinds; will pay cash or take in exchange for moving, packing and storing. 5661 Easton av. Send card or phone Delmar 2329R. (c90)

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PROSSER buys furniture, carpets and stoves; pays best prices. 3229 Olive st. Bomont 807, Central 3532.

RUGS Wtd.—3?; 9x12; must be good, but cheap. Box O-161, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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BEST cash prices paid for secondhand furniture. Chas. Glusburg, 2021 Shenandosh. Victor 850.

HIGHEST price paid for feathers, furniture, stoves, carpets. Brasch, 2322 Palm; Central 6812. (c69)

STOCKER & PRICE Storage and Auction Co. 1925 Franklin, buys all kinds household goods, stocks of merchandise and fixtures. Bomont 22, Central 137. (c8)

ANY quantity household goods bought; carpets, Oriental rugs, ornaments, miscellaneous articles. Dickson, Lindell 5930. (4)

BEST cash prices paid for furniture. Grand Central Furniture Co., 3537 Olive. Lindell 3391.

WANTED—Best class of furniture of all kinds; buy contents of residences and flats. 3615 Laclede, Delmar 62. Lindell 474. R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO. (c14)

WE will exchange your old furniture for new; cash or credit; call us up. Central 6496R. Steiner-Lewis Furniture Co. 1202 S. Broadway. (c8)

WE pay the very best prices for furniture, carpets, stoves, bedclothing. Central 6829, Bomont 261. American Storage and Moving Co. (c99)

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ARM CHAIRS—For sale, large rocker, mission or oak; nice mahogany center table, nine-top kitchen cabinets, latest style mahogany bed; will sell cheap. Call evening for half the price. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th.

AUCTION—AUCTION, 515 FRANKLIN.

Wednesday, Feb. 16, commencing 6:30 p. m., for this sale we have a complete line of used furniture, rugs, etc.; some as good as new; come and look goods at your own price. Levy-Oi: Furniture and Auction Co., auctioneers.

BEDROOM SETS—For sale; $8; sideboards, $3; kitchenettes, $6; couches, $2; leather chairs beds, $7; dressers, $6. 1701 S. 11th st. (c60)

BED—For sale; solid walnut; cheap. 2111 Mallinckrodt; call Sunday.

BEDS—For sale, two iron beds, one spring, one mattress. 3228 Kensington av.

BED—For sale, full size bed, spring and mattress; new; only $15. 3615 Laclede. (c)

BED—For sale, vernis Martin, and springs, used 2 months. 2369A Farrar.

BED—For sale, single; spring and mattress; $5; sanitary couch and pad $4; exc. 5077 Von Versen.

BED—For sale, double, brass, with spring, cheap. 3536 S. Compton.

BEDROOM SUITE—For sale; also dining table and chairs; easy terms. 3114 S. 4th st. (c)

BEDS—And entire contents of elegantly furnished home, including player-piano; cheap. 4233 Maryland. (2)

BED—For sale, heavy brass bed and spring, $10; 5-piece fumed oak library suite, 4261 Cook av.

BED—For sale, polished light oak folding bed, with mirror; good as new. 3633 Shenandosh av.

BED—For sale Vernis Martin, springs and mattress; ¾ size; like new; cheap. 3946 N. 11th st.

BED—For sale, ¾ iron, spring, mattress; perfect condition; your own price. 2009 Oregon.

BED—Almost new, davenette suite, library table, rugs, piano-lamp, beautiful dining set, bedroom furniture, contents of beautiful home; bargains. 3439 Utah. (4)

BEDROOM and kitchen brand-new goods, $50; pay $1 per week. Steiner Lewis Furniture Co., 1202 S. Broadway. (c8)

BEDS—For sale; 2-inch post Vernis Martin, $3.50; new all-cotton mattresses, $3.75; extra heavy new wire spring, $3.25; will sell complete or separate; all sizes; big assortment to pick from. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st.

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Library Tables—Mahogany and oak, from $6.50 to $7 each.

Chiffoniers—From $5 to $7.50 each.

Chairs—Lane-seated; a bargain at $1 each.

Water Sets—Consisting of pitcher and 6 glasses, 40c per set.

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Wm. G. Willard, 318 Chestnut st. (c)

BOOKCASE—Large, mahogany finish bookcase, $8.50. 3537 Olive.

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CHIFFONIER—For sale; mahogany finish Call 2009 Morgan st. (c)

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DAVENPORT—For sale, leather, bed and spring, mahogany bookcase, hall tree and other furniture. 4143 Flad. (c)

DESK—54-inch sanitary, new desk, $19.75. roll-top. 3887 Olive.

DINING SUITE—For sale; fine golden oak; new; $30. 3615 Laclede av. (c)

DINING-ROOM SET—For sale; in good condition. 3537 Olive.

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DINING ROOM SET—For sale, solid sideboard, 4748 Labadie av., after 6:30 p. m.

DINING SUITE—For sale, mission oak; china cabinet, extension table, leather chairs; bargain. 3439 Utah.

DINING SET—Quartered oak, complete, fine, $30. Wagner Bros., Storage, Moving, 203 S. Jefferson. (c62)

DINING ROOM SET—For sale; buffet, table, chairs; finish; mission; good condition. 5222 North Market, Delmar 3207J.

DINING SUITE—Fumed oak buffet, china cabinet, extension table, serving table, chairs. 4233 Maryland.

DINING SUITE—For sale; 9 pieces, early English; also blue enamel kitchen cabinet. 1218 S. Broadway.

DINING ROOM SET—For sale, cheap, fine fumed oak; rugs; twin brass beds; parlor suite; no dealers. 4744 Labadie av.

DINING SUITE—For sale, fumed oak; 60-inch buffet, 54-inch table, china closet and six chairs; will accept part cash. 1318 S. Broadway.

DRESSER—For sale; washstands, good as new, $12; kitchen table, 75c. 3742 Garfield.

DRESSERS—For sale, two dressers, two washstands, one stove, $5; call Sunday. 4027 Fairfax.

DRESSER—For sale, my mother's mahogany dresser, rosewood bed and chairs. 2322 Virginia av.

DRESSER—For sale, large oak; mission china closet, rockers, like new; reasonable. 5558 Nebraska.

FEATHER BED—For sale; one, new, price $8. 5227 Cote Brilliante.

FOLDING BED—For sale; mantle; good condition; cheap. 2705 S. Jefferson. (c36)

FOLDING BED—For sale, suitable for sleeping porch; good condition; bargain; second-hand dealers need not call. 3953 De Tonty.(c)

FURNITURE—For sale, 2206 Clark av.

FURNITURE—For sale; 3 rooms, complete; first-class; almost new. 2419 N. 10th st. (c)

FURNITURE—For sale; and gas range. 2343 Keokuk.

FURNITURE—For sale, furnishings of 101 room house; sacrifice for quick sale; leaving city. Grand 2462W.

FURNITURE—For sale, at a bargain; like new; 5 rooms, complete for housekeeping; no dealers; act quick. Box D-136, P.-D.

FURNITURE—For sale, $50 walnut folding bed for $10; $35 oak sideboard for $8. 5045 Maple av.

FURNITURE—For sale; in good condition; cheap. 6418 Ridge.

FURNITURE—For sale, enough for 2 rooms, $2.75 cash, $1 per week. 1114 S. 4th. (c8)

FURNITURE—For sale, 4 rooms. 1022 S. 9th, rear.

FURNITURE—For sale; no dealers. Call at 3943 Lindell.

FURNITURE—For sale; can be seen afternoon until sold at 3726 Forest Park bl.

FURNITURE—For sale, $25 worth, $2 cash and $1 per week. 1318 S. Broadway. (c)

FURNITURE—For sale, of 12 rooms; reasonable cash or time. Belt, Lindell 2165R. 3846 Delmar.

FURNITURE—For sale, contents of 3-room flat; player-piano, 50 rolls music. 4719 Natural Bridge.

FURNITURE—For sale, $300, for $80; bargain; leaving city; Landes, 1239 Franklin, third floor.

FURNITURE—For sale, 4 rooms, complete, cheap for quick sale; nearly new. 4324 Ashland.

FURNITURE—For sale, 3-room flat; best rooming stoves, hard and soft coal. 2736A Washington.

FURNITURE—For sale; also Wilson heater, Cole's high range, nearly new; $14; piano, Call early; leaving city. 2569A Warren.

FURNITURE—For sale, antique mahogany parlor furniture, mahogany player-piano, rugs, etc. 4565 Page. Forest 4946R. (c)

FURNITURE—For sale; new; davenette, bedroom and dining room suites; also combination range. 1119 Branch st.

FURNITURE—Will exchange 12 rooms of good furniture for anything in value. Phone Lindell 2165R. 3846 Delmar.

FURNITURE—For sale, dresser, wardrobe, chiffonier, chairs and other furniture. 3060 Pinney.

FURNITURE—For sale, contents of five-room flat; well furnished; rooms rented taken in expenses. 4461 Delmar.

FURNITURE—For sale; kitchen and bedroom complete; all brand-new; for $50; pay $1 per week. Steiner-Lewis Fur. Co., 1202 S. Broadway. (c8)

FURNITURE—Almost new, bedroom, rugs, davenette suite, library table, player-piano, dining furniture; contents of beautiful home; separately; a bargain. 3439 Utah.

FURNITURE made to order; first-class repairing and refinishing estimates given Anding Furniture and Cabinet Shop, 4218 St. Ferdinand. Lindell 3394.

FURNITURE—For sale; dresser, mahogany; chiffonier to match; nice mission dining room set; will sell cheap. Levy Bros., 311 13-15 S. 14th st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

FURNITURE—For sale of 5-room flat, beautiful mahogany bedroom suite, rugs, china, etc. Call Sunday afternoon or any time this week, 4515 Margaretta.

FURNITURE Wtd.—Printing exchanged for furniture, typewriter, small K. C. motor, ladder, old sideboard, carpenter work, useful articles; make offer. Box R-5, Post-Dis.

FURNITURE—For sale, contents of beautiful 6 rooms, including player-piano, nearly new; separately for quick sale. 4417 Delmar.

FURNITURE—For sale, rooms; beds, dressers, child's bed, chiffonier, rugs, sewing machine, stoves, gas range; account moving, cheap. 8211 Iowa.

FURNITURE—Leaving for country, must sell choice furniture of six-room apartment. Call forenoons only, this week. No dealers. 4468 Forest Park bl., apartment 8.

FURNITURE—For sale, beautiful furnishings for 5-room flat, almost new; fine opportunity for one going housekeeping. Call 1323 Euclid.

FURNITURE—For sale; iron bed, wardrobe with mirrors in door; hall rack, rockers, range, heater, refrigerator, linoleum, combination fixtures; will sell cheap. Call 4381A Natural Bridge.

FURNITURE—For sale, brass and V. M. beds and other furniture, used in rooming house; used one year; bargain for quick buyer; private sale; single or lot. 8120 Broadway, Colfax 1132W.

FURNITURE—Beautiful davenette suite, handsome dining carpets, player-piano, library table, living and bedroom furniture; must sell everything immediately. 5024 Delmar.

COMPLETE furniture of 4 rooms, consisting of latest style Buck's range, Quick Meal gas stove, kitchen cabinet, beds and springs, chifforoberes; in fact, everything up-to-date, will be sold for any reasonable offer; call Sunday morning. 800 Market st., upstairs.

FURNITURE—For sale, brocade parlor set, 5-piece combination; roll-top desk and chairs; pictures and other articles will be sold at a very low price to close an estate. 3858 Page bl.; open daily from 2 to 5. Lindell 4768R. (c)

FURNITURE—New and slightly used dressers, chiffoniers, wardrobes, dining suites, davenettes, rugs, carpets, brass and iron beds, springs and mattresses; very large assortment at half the price; credit to reliable people; we will buy, move or store your goods. Prosser's, 3218-20 Olive st. Bomont 807, Central 5532. (c62)

FURNITURE—For sale, elegant furnishings, brass beds, box springs, hair mattresses, mahogany and maple bedroom sets, French gray enamel bedroom suite; empire mahogany parlor suite and table, gold furniture, leather fumed oak library suite, Vernis Martin table and cabinet, mirrors, draperies, china and player-piano, at auction, Wednesday, Feb. 16, at Grand and Laclede, in the Leonori Art Rooms.

FURNITURE—For sale, slightly used, which was left for storage; anything in the line of household goods—dressers $2.50, washstands, 50c; beds 50c, chairs 25c, wardrobes $2.50, sideboards $2.50, round extension table, $6.50, kitchen cabinet $2.50, range $7.50, 3-piece mahogany parlor suite $15, leather davenport $8.50, oak hall tree $6.50. Call and be convinced this is the cheapest place in the city to buy goods. Store No. 1, F. C. Baker M. S. Co., 2900 Market.

FURNITURE—For sale, cheap; the largest stock for the least money to select from; beds, $2 up; 75 washstands, 50c up; iron beds, full size, three-quarter or single, 75c up; sideboards, $5.50; buffets, $8; cabinets, $10 up; wardrobes, $4; rockers, 75c; 6-foot dining tables, $2.50; round tables, 50c; chiffoniers, $4; sanitary couches, $1.50; heaters, hot blast and airtights, as low as $2; ranges, $15.50; upright folding beds, $8 up; 100 big beds, $3.50; china closets. We can save you money; quick sale, small profits our motto; special prices to out-of-town dealers in carload or small lots; orders by mail promptly attended to. Reinert's, 2nd St. cor. 15-17 Biddle; 10 min. north of Clark. (c)

GAS HEATER—For sale; new; cost $6; will sell cheap. 3706 Laclede, lower flat.

GAS RANGE—For sale, cheap. 4518 McMillan. (c)

GAS RANGE—For sale; blue enameled; also brass bed; apply Sunday. 2429 Bacon.

GAS RANGE—For sale, 3-burner; and ice-box; very cheap. 2619A California.

GAS RANGE—For sale, Bridge & Beach, like new, $50, cost $85. 5325 Easton.

GAS RANGE—For sale; elevated oven; nickeled; $20. 3615 Laclede av. (c)

GAS RANGE—For sale; Quick Meal; good order; will exchange for bed. 4518 McMillan.

GAS RANGE—For sale; Quick Meal; nearly new; also drophead sewing machine. 1114 S. 4th st.

GAS RANGE Wtd.—Large, with 2 ovens; also baker's portable oven. Morris, 2929 Lucas.

GAS RANGE—For sale and water heater, good condition; bargain, $5 for the two. 4044A Maffitt.

GAS RANGE—For sale; satisfactory Quick Meal; splendid condition; any reasonable offer. 5251 Page.

GAS RANGE—For sale; Quick Meal, with high oven; first-class condition. 4916 Laclede av.

GAS RANGE—For sale, large side-oven Quick Meal, suitable for restaurant; also small ranges. F. C. Baker, 2900 Market.

GAS RANGE—For sale, cabinet, big bargain; in good condition; 4 burners, oven. 4548 Westminster pl.

GAS RANGES—For sale; 50 renewed Quick Meals, in good condition, and ready connected, $6 up; other good makes. Prosser's, 5220 Olive st. (c92)

GAS RANGES—All makes, $4 up; connected free if up to 3d floor; used vacuum cleaners, gasoline stoves, $2 up; ranges, $10 up; our ranges are the first-class order, guaranteed in 10 years. Brosmers, $4 up; oak washstand, $1; sideboards, $5 up; glass-drawer, $3; kitchen cabinets, $4 up; nice lot rockers from 75c up, chairs, 35c; extension tables, $2.50; iron beds, sanitary springs and cotton mattresses, $4 complete; center tables, 50c up; wardrobes, $5 up; mantel folding beds, $8 up; mirror buffets, china closets, round pedestal extension table, leather chairs, tables, cooking Brosmers; this place buys your outfit cheap for little money; everything kept in sanitary condition; big lot to select from; free packing for out-of-town buyers. We sell wholesale to dealers. We sell for cash or installments. We surprise you how busy we are kept. Stands to reason; our prices are so low and our dealing so fair. What we sell we deliver at once; secondhand furniture is in name only at Brosmers'. 311-13-15 S. 14th st., north of Clark av. Open evenings; Bellefontaine or 18th st. cars pass our door.

GAS STOVE—For sale, Quick Meal, white enamel finish, fine condition, bargain; secondhand dealers need not call. 3958 De Tonty. (c)

HEATER—For sale, large; no dealers. Call 3453 Itaska.

HEATING STOVES—For sale; $2 up; cook stoves, $2.50 up; ranges and lot of complete furniture, rugs, beds and chifforoberes. 1827 Franklin. (23)

HIGH-GRADE 2-room outfit, including brass bed, for $80; original price was $150; $2 per week. Steiner Lewis Furniture, 1202 Broadway. (c8)

HOT-WATER HEATER—Suitable for baroer; it's new and half price. 3901 Lee.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; 4 rooms; completely furnished. 4473A Evans.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; 4 rooms; complete; first-class; almost new. 2419 N. 10th st. (c)

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—For sale; all kinds. Call Monday afternoon. 5231 Delmar bl.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale; contents 3-room flat; Cole's high-oven, rugs, table, etc. 2539A Whittier.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, $45 early English china closet, 3-piece mahogany parlor, Empire mahogany library table, cheap; no dealers; leaving city. 1843A Shawmut pl.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, entire contents of 4371 Lindell bl.; extra fine oak dining-room set, 4 Anglo-Persian rugs, 11x15, which cost new $75 each and are new; will sell for 50c on the dollar. New leader which cost $50 and will sell for $25; old iceboxes, cheap; nice parlor and fine walnut bedroom set. Also 1915 Ford runabout, with Lee tires, used very little.

IRON LUNG—For sale, complete; water-power washing machine, Quick Meal gas range. 8327 Park.

KITCHEN CABINET—For sale; and sideboard. 1031 Irma.

KITCHEN CABINET—For sale; daylight gas lamp, vacuum sweeper, sewing machine. 2322 Virginia av.

KITCHEN CABINET—For sale, latest, with disappearing table, slightly damaged in transit, can be seen at 2014 S. Jefferson av.

LIBRARY TABLE—Oval; genuine quarter sawed oak, $8.50; cost $22. 3537 Olive.

LIBRARY TABLE—For sale; mission oak; finished like new, $7; cost $15. 1635 S. Jefferson av.

LINOLEUM REMNANTS—For sale; cheap for cash. 1114 S. 4th st.

ORGAN—Oak; used 3 months; $20. Wagner Bros., Storage, Moving, 203 S. Jefferson. (c62)

PARLOR SET—For sale; 2 mahogany cabinets. 4900 Forest Park bl., 2d fl. west.

PARLOR SUITE—For sale; 5-piece; leather; linen covers. 4748 Labadie av., after 6:30 p. m.

PARLOR SUITE—For sale, genuine leather; and leather davenport, almost new; call evenings; cheap. 3007 Sidney st.

PARLOR SUITS—For sale, four, genuine leather, fine condition; will go up; genuine bargain. 1202 S. Broadway.

PARLOR SUITE—For sale; 3-piece; leather; new; $22. 3615 Laclede av. (c)

PARLOR SET—3 pieces, up-to-date, $13. Wagner Bros. Storage, 203 S. Jefferson. (c62)

PARLOR SUITE—For sale, three-piece, upholstered, $8. 36 chairs, $1; furniture repaired. Sidney 1053, Central 8556.

PARLOR SET—For sale; almost new; three pieces, mahogany; something massive; real leather; nice oak sliding room set; will sell cheap. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st.

PIANO—For sale, fine piano, bookcase, child's playthings, for a girl; 3 rooms, chair, kitchen utensils and other household goods, cheap. 2918 Franklin av., after 10 a. m. Monday; no dealers.

RADIANT HOME—Large size; hard-coal; No. 5; practically new; $10. 17 S. 9th st.

RANGES—Rebuilt ranges; $10 each and up. Wm. G. Willard, 318 Chestnut st. (c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

RANGE—For sale, coal, in good condition, at a bargain. 3442A Pennsylvania av.

RANGE—For sale, Cole's high oven, in good condition; storage charges; $12.50. 215 S. 14th.

RANGE—Buck's; on legs; like new; $12. Wagner Bros., Storage, Moving, 203 S. Jefferson. (c62)

RANGE—For sale; Charter Oak; fine order; good baker; $14; cost $35. 1635 S. Jefferson av.

RANGE—For sale, stands on feet; nicely nickeled, like new, cheap. 4759 Goethe av., 6200 south, Cherokee car.

RANGES—A 400-pound new "Willard" steel range delivered to any part of the city for $15. Wm. G. Willard, 318 Chestnut st. (c)

RANGE—For sale; gas stoves, furniture, household goods; leaving city. 4108 Botanical.

RANGE—For sale; combination; first-class condition; reasonable offer takes it. 3055 Bayard av.

RANGES—Home Comfort, Bridge & Beach, Buck's, Charter Oaks, stand on feet and re-built; cash or terms; $10 up. Prosser's, 5220 Olive st. (c92)

RUG—6x9 seamless, Brussels, $5. 9x12 Royal Wilton, $13.50. 3537 Olive.

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RUGS—For sale, 100 samples, at half price; also 12 secondhand, 1114 S. 4th st. (c2)

RUG—For sale, Axminster; also 3 rockers, at a sacrifice. 5049 Highland.

RUGS—For sale; new and slightly used; also linoleum, new and slightly used; sell at bargain. 2021 Shenandosh.

RUGS—For sale; bargains. Globe Carpet Cleaning Co., 2824 Olive; Central 4994. (c81)

RUG—Beautiful Axminster, 9x12, $12, like new. Wagner Bros., Storage, Moving, 203 S. Jefferson. (c62)

RUGS—Almost new, handsome rugs, player-piano, contents of beautiful home; rare bargains. 3439 Utah.

RUG—For sale, beautiful, valued $40; will sell cheap. Call at American Sign Co., 1630 Pine st.

RUGS, carpets, all kinds; selling them out; 62 per month; Chicago Carpet Cleaning Co., 3829 Finney. (c8)

RUGS—For sale, elegant Wilton velvet and Axminster rugs; 25 new and used, at auction, Wednesday, Feb. 16, at Grand and Laclede, in the Leonori Art Rooms. (c2)

RUGS—Wilton and Axminster, brand-new, slightly worn; odd patterns and sizes; all kinds; 50 to pick from; for offices or home use; retail from $25 to $50; will sell some as long as they last from $12 to $20; some solid colors among them; no trouble to show the goods. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st., south from Clark av.

SET—For sale, three-piece mahogany set, genuine leather, one mahogany library table; sell at bargain. 2021 Shenandosh. (c)

SIDEBOARD—For sale; oak; good order; will deliver; $5. 1635 S. Jefferson av. (c)

SIDEBOARD—For sale, solid oak, $10; good condition. 8018 Reilly.

SIDEBOARD—For sale; solid oak; price $8. 4239 Ashland.

SIDEBOARD—For sale; large; oak; very fine; only $30; cost $175. 3615 Laclede av. (c)

SIDEBOARD—For sale, golden oak; massive, like new; $12, cost $60. 5528 Easton.

SIDEBOARD—For sale, oak; and chair, $5. 4239 Mafitt av.

STOVE—For sale; base burner; Radiant Home; good condition; in first-class condition; cheap. 215 S. 14th. (c)

STOVES and ranges of all best makes, cheap; 25 ranges, guaranteed to bake, $8 up; 100 heaters, hot blasts and airtights, $2 up; if it is a stove, we have it. Keiner Furn. and Stove Co., 1217-19 Franklin. (c)

STOVES—For sale, at lower prices; we have a large stock of oak downdraft airtight heaters to be sold regardless of cost of price, to reduce our stock; now is the time to buy if you wish to save money; our stock of household furniture is also complete in all new style parlor suites, bedroom sets, dining room sets, kitchen cabinets, sideboards, kitchen cabinets, latest patterns in rugs and linoleums, at rock-bottom prices; come and see us before you buy anything to furnish the home; quick delivery free to all parts of the city. S. Lasky, 1406 Franklin; phone Central 2053. (c8)

TABLES—For sale, two; very cheap; call afternoons. 3405 Bell.

TUNGSTEN—For sale, lot 25 and 40 watt Mazda; any quantity; delivered; 10c each. How many? Box F-26, Post-Dis.

VICTOR TABLE—For sale; 6 chairs, muffler, like new; cheap. Inquire Sunday, 4143 Hartford st.

WARDROBE—For sale, large, new, golden oak; cost $45. 3615 Laclede av. (c)

WARDROBE—For sale; and Morris chair, 4034 Greenlea pl. Colfax 905J. (c)

WARDROBE—For sale, solid walnut, large size, full length and dresser; call evening. 4209 Florissant.

WASHING MACHINE—For sale; water power; $5. 4227A Ashland.

WASHSTAND—For sale, a two-bowl barber shop washstand at a bargain. 104 N. 7th.

WATER HEATER—For sale, gas; used one month; $6, cost $15. 3858 Easton.

IDEAL water heater, coal; first-class condition; $7. 17 S. 9th st.

FIFTY gas water heaters connected to boiler, complete, $12; bath, 10 minutes, guaranteed; plumbing reasonable prices. Delmar 3912 Euclid.

ALMOST given away; stoves, hotel ranges, carpets, furniture, slightly used. Kapean, 1020 Market. (c90)

ATTENTION, housekeepers! We bought several lots, almost new furniture, consisting of iron brass beds, all-felt mattresses, all-iron springs, nice line dressers, full-size china closet, leather chairs, kitchen cabinets, wonderful bargains in davenettes, wardrobes, round pedestal tables, parlor set, rugs, library set, sewing machine, everything for housekeeping; will sell at 50c on the dollar what we will cost you; a call will convince you what big stock we keep; our dealings are fair; what we sell we deliver at once; we pack and ship for out-of-town buyers. 311-13-15 S. 14th st., south of Clark av., open evenings till 8; Bellefontaine or 18th st. cars pass our door. (c)

ESTATE—Sale for good furniture, small or large lots. Levy Bros., 313 S. 14th st. Olive 3028, Central 5393. (c9)

FIRE SALE—Perfect goods; $10 suits, $5; $15 suits, $7.50; $20 suits, $10; $25 suits, $12.50; $30 suits, $15; $35 suits, $17.50; $40 suits, $20; $45 suits, $22.50; $50 suits, $25; $60 suits, $30; $75 suits, $37.50; $100 suits, $50; $125 suits, $62.50; $150 suits, $75; $175 suits, $87.50; $200 suits, $100; $225 suits, $112.50; $250 suits, $125; $275 suits, $137.50; $300 suits, $150; $325 suits, $162.50; $350 suits, $175; $375 suits, $187.50; $400 suits, $200; $425 suits, $212.50; $450 suits, $225; $475 suits, $237.50; $500 suits, $250; $525 suits, $262.50; $550 suits, $275; $575 suits, $287.50; $600 suits, $300; $625 suits, $312.50; $650 suits, $325; $675 suits, $337.50; $700 suits, $350; $725 suits, $362.50; $750 suits, $375; $775 suits, $387.50; $800 suits, $400; $825 suits, $412.50; $850 suits, $425; $875 suits, $437.50; $900 suits, $450; $925 suits, $462.50; $950 suits, $475; $975 suits, $487.50; $1000 suits, $500; $1025 suits, $512.50; $1050 suits, $525; $1075 suits, $537.50; $1100 suits, $550; $1125 suits, $562.50; $1150 suits, $575; $1175 suits, $587.50; $1200 suits, $600; $1225 suits, $612.50; $1250 suits, $625; $1275 suits, $637.50; $1300 suits, $650; $1325 suits, $662.50; $1350 suits, $675; $1375 suits, $687.50; $1400 suits, $700; $1425 suits, $712.50; $1450 suits, $725; $1475 suits, $737.50; $1500 suits, $750; $1525 suits, $762.50; $1550 suits, $775; $1575 suits, $787.50; $

AUTOMOBILES

5686 agate, 15c line; minimum 7 lines.

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le, Schaeffer upright mahog- ...ss; selling on account of ...Jefferson.

le; mahogany; practically ...s; good reason for wanting to ...Aronberg, 5092 Wells.

le; mahogany upright; ... ...se; cost $2500; will sell for ...nnessee.

le; mahogany, Jesse French ... for $350; will sell to best ...ussell.

le, Steinway upright, mahog- ...ellent condition; great oppor- ...ee it; verne.

AN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c62)

le; New England; rosewood ... have no children at home ... play; would sell on terms. ...Dispatch.

le, Ellington upright, slightly ...eize, $100; terms, $5 a month. ...Washington av., just west ...evenings.

le; mahogany; must sell at ... by Jesse French Piano Co., ...ition; was only bought within ... 5012 Maple.

le, Wurlitzer electric piano, ... for sale; almost new; cost ... cheap; see Oliver A. Fablok, ...348 Pierce Bldg.

le, Henry F. Miller upright, ...ge, good as new; at less than ...rms to suit.

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le; mahogany; standard make, ...used 4 months; in perfect con- ...dition; cost $375; must sell to raise ...amount of reverses. Call Imme- ...Louisiana av.

O—For sale; $195; 4 months ...ding, mahogany case; 90 rolls ...bination bench; would store ... with party who would con- ...ge. Box F-31, Post-Dispatch.

le, Weser Bros.; $70; mahog- ...a beautiful tone and easy to ...been abused; would give two ...person who would purchase. ...t-Dispatch.

le; excellent bargain; taken in ...estate; have no use for piano; ...cost any price to dispose. John ...Moncliair, city.

upright; and furniture; by ...d rather sell at any figure ...; no assurance of reclaiming ...

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TRUCK Wtd.—New 2-ton motor truck; state ...make, horsepower, price. Box D-66, Post-Dis.

TRUCK Wtd.—Will trade my 12-h. p. Mis- ...souri marine engine for 4 light truck or ...automobile. Call 2822 Lafayette.

WE want to sell your automobile; largest, ...most reliable and oldest established auto- ...mobile commission house in Missouri. Auto ...Exchange, 2942 Olive.

REPAIRING, ETC.

INNER TUBES vulcanized, 10c a hole. ...Forster Bros., 309 S. 12th st. Central ...816R. (c)

ELECTRICAL equipment repaired, coils, ...magneto, lighting and starting, generators ...rewound and repaired; prompt service; all ...work guaranteed. Pan-Electric Mfg. Co., 731 ...S. 4th st. Main 4546. Central 2865. (c99)

IRVING AUTO CO., 4720 DELMAR ...General machine shop and repairing; ...automobiles stored, acetylene welding, carbon ...removed by oxygen, cylinders ground, pistons ...enlarged to fit rebored cylinders, piston ...rings, gears, automobiles painted, $25 up.

AUTOMOBILE PAINTING

All kinds of fine automobile painting at low ...prices. Bring all kinds of body work, woodwork, ...etc., to BORREIN AUTO CO., 2100 Pine st. (c)

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When wrecked, phone up Forest 1290, Del- ...mar 2052. Night, Forest 1545. 4601 Olive. (c99)

AUTOMOBILE RADIATORS HOODS, FENDERS, TANKS

Don't throw your radiator away. We can ...save you money. We make a specialty of re- ...pairing all makes of radiators, or new ones, ...on short order. 1101 Madison. Tyler 8209. (c)

PRIVATE GARAGE Wtd.—Near Kingsbury ...and Laurel. Phone Cabany 5758.

COUPES FOR SALE

BAKER ELECTRIC COUPE—For sale; like ...new; $450. 3206 St. Louis av. (c)

BAKER—For sale, new electric four-passen- ...ger large coupe; about three months ago ...it repainted and overhauled; batteries ...are still guaranteed for a year; all the best ...Mesta tires guaranteed 6000 miles; must sell; ...will be sacrificed to quick buyer. Box C-35, ...Post-Dispatch.

CADILLAC—For sale, 1914, coupe, electric ...self; complete equipment; perfect condi- ...tion; at a bargain; must sell at once; will ...consider small touring car or roadster in ...trade. 4406 Glasgow.

COUPE—For sale, 8-passenger, rebuilt and ...new tires; guaranteed 6 months, $350. Del- ...mar 2052.

COLE—For sale, 4-cylinder Cole coupe, with ...extra roadster body; all modern; Delco ...electric starter and lights; a snap at $500, ...or will accept small diamond. Box N-236, ...Post-Dispatch.

DETROIT ELECTRIC—For sale; in good ...condition; must be sold at sacrifice. Victor ...3356X.

FORD—For sale; coupe; perfect order. 008 ...Bell Bldg.

FORD—Cabinet and records; must ...sell; no dealers; describe fully; ...Box D-221, Post-Dispatch.

PHONE plays all sizes disc rec- ...ords, in good condition; cheap. ...

PH Wtd.—Edison or Victrola; ...cash for bargain. Delmar 4568.

PHS—Edison cabinet slot, $5. ...G. Wiliard, 318 Chestnut st.

PH—For sale, 2like new; cost $35; ...10 records. 1009 S. Broadway.

PH—For sale, Edison Triumph, ...Delmar 1383. (c99)

PH Wtd.—Or graphophone of ...must be in good condition and ...cash. Box B-141, Post-Dispatch.

PH—For sale; diamond-point ...new; cost $100; cheap. Victor ...

PH owners, if you own a phono- ...desire your name; we have some- ...one interested in you; nothing to ...drop us a card and get our free ...Box F-79, Post-Dispatch.

For sale, Victor, single, 10c; ...1527 S. Broadway.

For sale, Victor and Columbia, ...rice; records exchanged. (c99)

For sale; Victor and Columbia, ...price, records exchanged. 1410 ...

For sale, choice Red Seal, new, ...off; 1410 N. Jefferson; Central ...

For sale, 48 Edison wax cylinder ...d exchange for Victor disc. 3823 ...

Wtd.—Disc Victrola, Edison or ...Box F-83, Post-Dis. Laclede ...

For sale, 2000 Edison Indestruc- ...4-minute. 20c. 1527 S. Broad- ...

Victor and Columbia, perfect ...good as new; half price. 4275 ...

ACHINES—For sale; 2 Columbia ...and spring. with 21 records, $2 ...dway.

IX—For sale, and records; must ...sed one week. 3842 Botanical.

For sale, mahogany; cost $45; ...bic bargain. 1609 S. Broadway.

For sale, fine condition, almost ...sell cheap. 1014 Delmar.

ONOGRAPH—For sale; cost $35, ...with records. 1526 S. 7th. ...

For sale; cost $200; price $85; ...1009 S. Broadway.

Wtd.—And player-piano; state ...and cheapest cash price. Box B- ...patch.

For sale, fine, with cabinet and ...12; need money. 1327 S. Broad- ...

For sale, large size mahogany, ...d for quick sale. 3516 N. Broad- ...

We have 3 or 4 mahogany ...must be sold for storage charges ...ran Furn. Co., 2004 Morgan (c)

Wtd.—Large cabinet; must be ...condition and cheap. Box B-111, ...

For sale; $200 model; will sell ...spose of at once; make offer. (c) ...

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DISON DIAMOND DISC ... Columbia, grafonolas, ... rewed, ... RABE, 1811 Cass av. 6368.

CORD EXCHANGE ... exchanged 5c; 25c to $2 each; ... 5126 Easton; moved from 4418 ...

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AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Will trade Thibbes ...electric piano for Ford. Box D-146, P.-D.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Would like to ex- ...change piano and player with 60 rolls or ...music for auto. 2876 Arlington.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—First payment on a 5- ...room hot-water-heated Ballinger cottage, ...$600; rest, J. Sipe, Delmar 419R.

AUTO Wtd.—Will exchange 105 feet of ...ground on Arsenal st., subject to $1950, and ...some cash for late model automobile. Foster ...& Key, 610 Carleton Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

AUTOMOBILES Wtd.—Ready cash, all ...kinds, condition no object; we buy them. ...Maxwell Bros., St. Louis, Mo., 3931-33 Olive. ...Lindell 2340.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Standard make, in ex- ...change for 160 acres timber land; will ac- ...cept or pay difference. H. F. Roseman, 2108 ...D st., Granite City, Ill.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—1915 5-passenger light ...six, or good 4-cylinder; state cash price, ...first letter. M. G. Haligraux, Aviston, Ill. (c7)

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Thoroughly renewed and repainted and is a big bargain to a quick buyer. Call Monday, 3918 Olive st.

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FORD—For sale, 1915; private party; bar- ...gain. Box D-36, Post-Dispatch.

FORD—For sale, 1914 roadster, A1 condi- ...tion; puncture proof tires; $2.50; bargain. ...3908 Cote Brilliante.

FORD—For sale, roadster, model T; good ...tires; excellent condition; must sell; bar- ...gain. 917 Walton av.

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TOURING CARS FOR SALE

AUTO—For sale, good, powerful car; good ...condition; first $200 gets it. 932 Catalpa (c)

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FORD—For sale; touring car; first-class ...condition, equipped; must see to be con- ...vinced. 2726 Chippewa.

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FORD—For sale, touring car; fine condi- ...tion; electric lights; oversize tires; other ...extra equipments; good buy. A. B. Jones, ...1649 S. Grand. (c)

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HUPMOBILE—For sale; 1914, first-class con- ...dition; 5-passenger; with winter top; bar- ...gain. Central 2776, Bomont 2462. 3003 Lo- ...cust.

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PACKARD—For sale; 30; touring car; good ...condition; $600. Donnelly Automobile Co., ...22d and Pine sts. (c)

PIERCE ARROW—For sale, 6-cyl., 7-pas- ...senger, $510. 1512 Locust. 3 (c5)

TOURING CARS FOR SALE

MITCHELL—For sale, for $300, touring car, ...in splendid shape. 1518 Wagoner pl.

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FOR SALE—Ford touring car, model T, ...a bargain; $275. 3669 Olive st. (c)

TOURING CAR—For sale, 5-passenger; Cal- ...tires; excellent condition; must sell; bar- ...gain. 917 Walton av.

TOURING CAR—For sale, 1912, 5-passenger; ...new tires; will demonstrate; must sell ...$325; guarantee. Delmar 4685R.

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Overhauled and repainted; electric starter; a bargain in town at $600. See it at
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List price $1010; will sell at a bargain; run 150 miles.
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FORD—For sale, with delivery body; used ...only four weeks; $400; will give terms to ...responsible party. Box A-17, P.-D. (c)

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Moon, 5-passenger; good shape
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Moon, 6-cyl., 5-pass., 1916	$900
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Mitchell, 6-cyl., 5-pass	425
Premier, 4-cyl., 7-pass	450
Mitchell, 6-cyl., 5-pass	500
Empire, 4-cyl., 5-pass	500
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Chalmers 36, 5-passenger	550
Chalmers 30, 4-passenger	450
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MARE—For sale; good, sound bay; delivery horse; also fine rubber-tired, ball-bearing, top delivery wagon with front vestibule. 715 N. Vandeventer. (c)

MARES—For sale, pair young chunky; in foal; $125; pair stout, young mares, $115; farm wagon, double harness, $40. 2724 Washington.

MARES—For sale; large span Percheron, in good condition; 4 mules, 10 mares in matched teams, good condition, suitable for farm use; 20 sets double harness, Jersey cow; guaranteed. 3512 Cass.

MARE—For sale, one-horse light spring, for any use; $20. 2107 Howard.

MARE—For sale, 1-horse platform stake wagon, cheap. 5007 Easton.

MARE—For sale; delivery; cheap. 3946 Morgan.

MARE—For sale, top wagon, hand-made; weight 900 lbs.; old; between 9 and 12 Sunday. 2615 Arsenal.

MARE—For sale, light, open wing, 7½-ft. bed, $85; good condition; single set harness, $8. 2346 Albion pl.

MARE—For sale; express; 3-spring; also brass-mounted harness; cheap. 720 Walton av.

MARE—For sale, vestibule coupling wagon, good condition, $15, or exchange for mule, one small horse. 3416 Eads.

MULES—For sale, team of mules, good for expressing; also wagon, with harness; will sell cheap. Call 2724 N. Grand av. (c)

MULES—For sale, cheap, good team; suitable for delivery, farm; also wagon and harness. 9 S. Vandeventer av., Central 1355.

MULES—For sale, 10; team of draft horses, 9 mares, some foal; also 2 mules. Harness. 1832 Hogan. 3 blocks north of Cass.

MULES—For sale, team of mules, with harness, dump wagon. Transfer, 1823 Allen lane, between Madison and North Market.

MULES—For sale, six good working mules, at a sacrifice. E. Hoefle Sons Wrecking and Supply Co., southeast corner Jefferson and O'Fallon. Somont 1460, Central 5739. (c)

MULES—For sale, team of mules, 15½ hands, 5 and 6 years old; farm wagon and harness; must sell; taken for rent; also Ford. 3027 Lafayette.

PEDDLER WAGON—For sale, closed, cheap. 2915 Indiana.

PEDDLER'S OUTFIT—For sale; good years-old Texas harness, wagon, license; all for $65; good bargain. 2407 Dickson, one block south of Cass.

PONY—For sale; good traveler; runabout and harness; sell reasonable. 3827A Lee.

PONIES—For sale, two Shetland ponies, one large pony; harness, single and double; one large single set harness; one pony buggy, one storm buggy. Box R-10, P.-D.

PONIES—For sale, 15 head, Shetland, 32 to 56 inch, sound, stylish, city broke, for small children; stallions, mares, geldings; $30 up; also ponies of all colors; vehicles, saddles, harness; cheap. 119 S. 14th.

RUNABOUTS—For sale; like new; rubbers and paint; new leather trimmed; $22; retired, $20; storm buggy, no top, $8; stanhope, rubber tired; good condition; cheap; trimmings, $10; poles, $2.50 up; shafts, $2 up; steel-tired storm buggy wheels, fine condition, $6. 1806 Olive.

SHETLAND PONIES—For sale, registered; imported mares and spotted stallion. 4706 Bluff.

SLEIGH—For sale; cheap; call Hirsch Rolling Mill Co., 6800 Manchester.

STAKE WAGONS—For sale; with and without end gates; 4 and 6 inch spring truck gears; cheap. Riefling's, 918 N. Broadway. (c62)

STALLION—For sale; standard bred, sorrel pacing stallion; safe on mornings; can be seen at Autenrieth's Livery Stable, Clayton, Mo. Driver, Sam Anderson, 2112 Belleview, Maplewood, Mo.

STORM BUGGY—For sale; with vestibule; rubber tired like new; $25; closed-up delivery, pole and shafts, fine condition, $45. R. J. Reed, 119 S. 14th.

STORM BUGGY—For sale; fine rubber-tired storm buggy, horse, all for $100; work anywhere; good set harness; have no use; all for $100. Call Bell phone, Kirkwood 1811.

SURREYS—For sale; cut-under, steel tired; A1; $22; park wagons, $15 up; storm buggy, runabouts, rubber-tired, $22. 119 S. 14th.

TEAM—For sale; young Percheron mares, with harness; account losing hauling. 1117 Spring.

TEAM—For sale; good moving wagon; also combination one or two horse open ice wagon, with harness; sell separate. (c) Walsh.

TOY ICE WAGON—For sale; one horse, work single or double. 2215 Benton.

TOP WAGON—For sale; rubber-tired; horse and harness, 3148 Chouteau av.

TOP WAGON—For sale, cheap, and iron bed. 4325 N. 21st st.; Tyler 2092. (c)

WAGONS—For sale, 2; call Benton 707W. (c)

WAGON—For sale, fine top, nearly new, very cheap. 3001 Bailey ave.

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WAGONS—For sale, panel tops; horses, harness; sell separate; cheap; bring trucks; call 8 to 11 a. m., or 4 to 5 p. m. Rear 3463 Morgan.

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ROOM—Nicely furnished front room, steam heat; every convenience; $3 weekly. Forest 3507R.

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ROOM—Desirable southern room, excellent board, private family; all conveniences; reasonable. Lindell 1726W.

ROOM—Nicely furnished, small front room in an apartment, for lady or gentleman employed; $10.50 per month. Forest 1904R. (c)

ROOMS—Two front rooms, in private home, half block Maryland car; gentlemen only. Lindell 2559W.

ROOMS—Furnished for gentleman; conveniences; Olive-Maryland car, $2.25 week; phone, Lindell 5781W.

ROOM—For rent, nice, cozy room, by day or week; quiet, convenient location. Phone Lindell 4668. (7)

ROOM—Furnished hall room; breakfast and washing; convenient; $2.50 week; phone; private family. Box B-206, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Front, elegantly furnished room, centrally located; strictly private family; in steam-heated apartment; continuous hot water; for gentleman or lady employed; $17 per month. Call Lindell 4867W.

CENTRAL

BELL, 3503—Housekeeping room; water, electric light. (7)

BELL, 3525—Furnished room, steam heat, gas, bath.

BELL, 3114—Light housekeeping rooms, $2 up; all conveniences; phone; quiet and respectable.

BELL, 3513—Small room, for gentlemen steam heat, electricity; continuous hot water.

BROADWAY, 908 N.—Room for light housekeeping; cheap; no other roomers.

BROADWAY, 907 N.—Rooms for gentlemen, by day or week; clean, comfortable and convenient.

CASS, 2813—Furnished front room, bath and conveniences. $3.

CHANNING, 715 N.—Large 2d-floor front, nicely furnished; gas, bath, furnace; Page line; quiet place.

CHOUTEAU, 3209A—Neatly furnished room.

CHOUTEAU, 3723—Clean housekeeping or sleeping rooms, hot water heat, near depot.

CHOUTEAU, 1112—Front, back or connecting rooms, housekeeping, families or gentlemen; $1.75 up.

CHOUTEAU, 1756—Sleeping, housekeeping rooms; respectable; new management. (7) car lines; phone.

CHOUTEAU, 3501—Two neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; bath and gas.

DICKSON, 3019A—Furnished or unfurnished housekeeping or sleeping rooms; reasonable.

DIVISION, 2018—Two rooms and kitchen, for light housekeeping.

EASTON, 3108—Neatly furnished connecting rooms, housekeeping; also single room.

EASTON, 3178A—Clean housekeeping rooms, $1 to $1.75; corner house, near Compton and Easton.

EUGENIA, 2027—Neatly furnished rooms; also housekeeping rooms; prices reasonable; white people only.

GRANDE, 1900—Furnished; two connecting rooms for light housekeeping.

FRANKLIN, 2921—Small hall room for gentleman. $2.

GRANTNER PL., 3173—2 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, private family, reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 2921—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; connecting or single; gas and cook stove.

FRANKLIN, 2712—Will give furnished room pasting stallion; also on mornings; can be seen at Autenrieth's Livery Stable, Clayton, Mo. Driver, Sam Anderson, 2112 Belleview, Maplewood, Mo.

FRANKLIN, 3117—Single or connecting housekeeping rooms; gas; with or without furnace heat; reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 3129—Neatly furnished front and connecting housekeeping rooms; also hall room; gas, bath; house must be filled immediately; price reasonable. (7)

GARRISON, 719 N.—Rooms, sleeping or housekeeping; heat, gas, electric light; reasonable. (2)

LEFFINGWELL, 1027 N.—Nicely furnished rooms.

LEONARD, 1019 N.—Neatly furnished room, with all conveniences; strictly private family; light, fire privileges; reasonable; phone.

LEONARD, 1017—Nicely furnished front room; private family; electric light, hot bath; furnace, free phone; reasonable. Bonmont 1909R.

LINDELL, 3525—Large front room; bay window; owner's home; $2.50 week. (1)

LINDELL, 3544—Light housekeeping room, with kitchenette; free phone, gas range; all conveniences.

LINDELL, 3548—Housekeeping rooms; good heat, both phones; no children; $2 and $2.50 weekly. (7)

LINDELL, 3519—Furnished front room, with or without housekeeping; furnace heat, free phone; reasonable.

LINDELL, 3546—Exceptionally pleasant, light room; convenient to bath; plenty of heat; free phone; very desirable; $2.50 week; owner's home.

LOCUST, 2804—Connecting housekeeping rooms, gas range, hot bath and phone.

LOCUST, 3142—Nicely furnished, steam-heated sleeping room, $1.50.

LOCUST, 3738—First and second floor front, south exposure; gas, bath; nail room $1.25.

LOCUST, 2728—Elegant first and second floor fronts; electric lights, hot bath, phone; gentlemen only.

LOCUST, 2632—Nicely furnished front rooms, also housekeeping; gas, bath, phone, all conveniences. (c)

LOCUST, 3142—Nicely furnished housekeeping room; private bath, steam heat; kitchenette; gas range; $5.

LOCUST, 3127—Modern, steam-heated rooms, 75c day, $3 week; also rooms with private bath.

LOCUST, 2920—Clean, connecting, front and other rooms; housekeeping or people employed; all conveniences. (7)

LOCUST—Nicely furnished rooms; with housekeeping if desired, $1.25 week up.

LUCAS, 3430—Well-furnished rooms; housekeeping if desired.

LUCAS, 3333—Neatly furnished room for light housekeeping, or sleeping; all conveniences.

MORGAN, 3329—Neatly furnished rooms; furnace, gas, phone; reasonable.

MORGAN, 3220—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; second floor; furnace heat, continuous hot water; $2.50.

MORGAN, 3506—Extra large, light, front room, first floor, furnished for housekeeping; heat, laundry.

NINTH, 704 N.—Corner Lucas; completely furnished room, for housekeeping; gas range, electricity, bath.

OLIVE, 3836—Front parlor, suitable for M. D. or dentist.

OLIVE, 1214—Furnished hall bedroom; neat, clean, cozy and comfortable; $1.50 per week. (1)

OLIVE, 2323—Three rooms, $8; two rooms, $6 month; newly decorated; water, bath, yard.

PAGE BL., 3538—Nicely furnished room; furnace heat; private family; will rent unfurnished.

PAGE BL., 3524—Large front room, first floor, lady or gentlemen, convenient to car line.

PINE, 1410-1421—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen; electric light, hot bath; $2 per week.

RANKEN, 1823—8 rooms, gas, bath. Call Somont 1419W; rent $13.

ROOMS—Nicely furnished steam-heated rooms and kitchen; gas range, running water, $3. Lindell 4304W.

SPRUCE, 507—Have neatly furnished, by day or week also housekeeping; rooms, $1.25 week.

THERESA, 308 N.—S. e. cor. Olive, beautifully furnished front room, steam heat, electric light, gentlemen preferred; call Lindell 107.

WASHINGTON, 3426 — Nicely furnished housekeeping or sleeping rooms; every convenience. (7)

WASH, 1608—Furnished rooms for gents or light housekeeping; cook stove in room.

WASHINGTON, 3512—Connecting parlors, with kitchenette, suitable for business purposes; phone, steam heat and hot bath.

WASHINGTON, 3501—Modern, hot-water heated rooms; one person; best accommodations; both phones; reasonable. (7)

WASHINGTON, 3040—South front parlor, $3; single, $2; electricity, bath, steam, phone, walking distance.

WASHINGTON, 2808—Nicely furnished front room, 1st floor; also housekeeping connecting rooms, cheap; conveniences.

SOUTH

ALLEN, 2750—Two rooms, connecting, and kitchenette; furnace heat; bath.

ANN, 1021—Nicely furnished front room by private family; for one or two gentlemen; all conveniences.

ARSENAL, 3621A—Furnished room; strictly modern; private family.

BOTANICAL, 4147—Front room, nicely furnished; private family; all conveniences.

BOTANICAL, 3630A—Private family, three car lines; all conveniences. Bell phone Near Grand avenue.

BOTANICAL, 3883—2 second floor, nicely furnished, southern rooms; modern conveniences, private family, for gentleman; references.

BROADWAY, 11 N.—Furnished rooms, steam heat, bath, electric light, $2 per week.

BROADWAY, 2844 S.—Nicely furnished room for one or two gentlemen.

BROADWAY, 3000—Nicely furnished housekeeping room, 2d floor; water inside.

CLEVELAND, 4227A—For lady employed, with family; walnelke, comfortable surroundings; very reasonable.

DILLON, 1119—Furnished room for housekeeping; gas range, hot water, furnace heat.

EADS, 2838—Two neatly furnished connecting front rooms, for housekeeping; good tenant; conveniences; reasonable.

EADS, 2728A—Furnished rooms, furnace, electricity; employed couple or gentlemen; reasonable.

EIGHTEENTH, 1124 S.—Two connecting furnished back rooms, no objections to children.

FOURTEENTH, 1308 S.—Neatly furnished front room; one or two gentlemen; private family.

GRAND, 1635 S.—Large room, 4 windows, next to one or two baths on floor; elegant board; refined surroundings and nice furniture; good for married couple, two women or two men; price reasonable. (c)

GEYER, 2750—Two connecting front rooms for light housekeeping; gas, bath, etc.

GEYER, 2749—Housekeeping room; electric lights, gas, heat; $2.50; also nice, bright small room, suitable one party's housekeeping if desired; $2.

GRAND, 1422 N.—Two beautiful furnished front housekeeping rooms, first or second floor; gas, linens and hot water; $3.50 week.

GRATTAN, 1304.—Nice, clean housekeeping room; gas and bath; $3 week. (7)

HENRIETTA, 2841—Neatly furnished room; private family; all conveniences; reasonable; phone Lindell 4263R.

HICKORY, 1916—Connecting front rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry; private family; adults.

HICKORY, 1333—Beautiful, furnished, single and connecting housekeeping and sleeping; gas, bath, large yard.

JEFFERSON, 3117—Furnished front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen; reasonable.

JEFFERSON, 3009 S.—Large, bright third-floor front room; suitable for light housekeeping, suitable for two or three.

JEFFERSON, 1049 S.—Neatly furnished room for light housekeeping; bath, telephone; laundry, furnace heat.

KENNETT PL., 1834—Large, neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; gas, bath and use of furnace heat. (7)

LAFAYETTE, 2017—Single furnished room for gents; near library; gas, bath; $1.50.

LAFAYETTE, 1823—Four large rooms, second floor; bath, gas, newly papered; $14.

LAFAYETTE, 2818A—Two connecting front rooms; gas range, electric light, hot water; all conveniences; comfort.

LAFAYETTE, 2118—Large front room, for gentlemen, in private home; all conveniences; reasonable.

LA SALLE, 1805—Connecting rooms, for light housekeeping.

LA SALLE, 2401—Nicely furnished rooms; right for housekeeping; water in.

LAUREL, 942—Room with private family; suitable for two gentlemen or couple. Call car lines; phone.

MAGNOLIA, 3440A—Bright, pleasant room for gentleman or lady employed; near 3 car lines.

MINNISOTA, 2841—Newly furnished front parlor to one or two gentlemen.

MINNESOTA, 2844—Newly furnished front room; for gentlemen.

MISSISSIPPI, 1109—Light housekeeping rooms; hot-water heat and all convs.

MISSISSIPPI, 1726—Two nice, large, light rooms, furnished for housekeeping; every respect, with steam heat and hot water at all hours.

MISSOURI, 1409—Neatly furnished rooms; electric light; bath and phone; references exchanged. Grand 1677L.

NICHOLSON PL., 2026—Front and connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished; also sleeping rooms. Sidney 2937W.

NINTH, 1321 S.—Newly furnished room for light housekeeping.

NINTH, 1520A—Neatly furnished, hall room.

PARK, 3139—Newly furnished rooms, furnace heat and hot water.

ROOM—Large, sunny; so. ex.; all conveniences; gas heat; reasonable. Box B-172, Post-Dispatch. Sidney 3251R.

ROOMS—Two or three, unfurnished; housekeeping; 5000 block, South Side. Box H-27, Post-Dispatch.

RUSSELL, 3647A—Front room; southern exposure; all conveniences; private family.

RUSSELL, 3612—Newly decorated, single room, hot bath, electric light, gentlemen; $2 per week.

RUSSELL, 3912—Elegant front room; good board; electric lights, conveniences; private family. Grand 2883R.

RUSSELL, 3619—Large floor, nicely furnished, large southern room, near bath; all conveniences; small private family for gentlemen; references required. Bell Grand 3075. (7)

RUTGER, 910—Light housekeeping 2 rooms; gas, bath; southern exposure; $2.25 and $2.50 week.

RUTGER, 1111—Housekeeping or sleeping rooms; gas, bath, hot water, linens; $2 up. (7)

SHAW, 3845A—Furnished room in private family; near Park, Grand and Fourth cars.

SHAW, 3844A—Nicely furnished rooms; heat, hot water, electric light; sleeping porch; reasonable.

SHAW, 3904A—Nicely furnished rooms; heat, hot water, electric light, sleeping porch; reasonable.

SHENANDOAH, 3639—Bedroom and kitchen, with sink, convenient, free phone.

SHENANDOAH, 3633—Front room; southern exposure; suitable for one or two parties; all conveniences; private family. Kinloch, Victor 2812R.

SHENANDOAH, 3833—Small front room; southern exposure; suitable for single person, gentleman preferred; all conveniences; Kinloch, Victor 2812R.

TWELFTH, 1029 S.—Neatly furnished, connecting front rooms; housekeeping; $3.25. Inquire 1112 Chouteau.

VIRGINIA, 7412—Two rooms, with bath, furnished for housekeeping.

VIRGINIA, 4132—Furnished room half block from Gravois car; housekeeping privileges; reasonable. Phone Lindell 4507. (7)

WYOMING, 4131—4 rooms, hall, newly decorated, $16; ashes hauled, water paid.

WYOMING, 5009—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; all conveniences.

WEST

ACADEMY, 928—Nicely furnished room, steam heat and continuous hot water.

AUBERT, 737A—Beautiful south room; modern; housekeeping; newly furnished.

AUBERT, 741—Large room, continuous hot water; all conveniences; $2.50. Phone Forest 1567W.

AUBERT, 723—Delightful, 2d floor room; modern home, every convenience, Hodiamont, Delmar, Taylor cars.

BARTMER, 6138—3 large, furnished rooms, finest floor; gas, bath; $24.50; 2 front rooms, $2.

BARTMER, 5418—Extra large room, with board; southern exposure, hot water heat, private family.

BARTMER, 6024—Connecting rooms, first floor, steam heat, gas range, electric, laundry.

BAYARD, 740—Two 2d-floor front rooms, for housekeeping or gentlemen; reasonable.

BAYARD, 912—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; breakfast; -near Hodiamont car; lady or gentleman.

BAYARD, 1144—Two rooms, scrupulously clean, well-furnished, complete for housekeeping; steam heat, modern. (2)

BAYARD, 783—Neatly furnished front room; bath, electric light, furnace heat. Forest 1250.

BAYARD, 728—Large front room; gentlemen or couple; phone; private family; light housekeeping if desired.

BAYARD, 735A—Large, light, front room; furnace heat; private family; will rent unfurnished.

BERLIN, 6002A—Elegant room; hot and cold water; telephone; two in family; reference.

BOYLE, 320A N.—Large furnished front room, steam heat, electric light; free Bell phone; suitable for two ladies.

CARPENTER PL., 724—Two furnished rooms; furnace heat, electricity, continuous hot water. (2)

CARPENTER PL., 726—2 rooms for housekeeping; furnace heat, electric lights, continuous hot water.

CARPENTER PL., 720—2 nicely furnished front connecting rooms for housekeeping; continuous hot water, electric lights, phone; private family.

CATES, 5163—Large second-floor room, for 2 people; convenient to cars; all modern conveniences and telephone.

CATES, 5030—Large, well furnished room; all modern conveniences; for two gentlemen or ladies employed; reasonable.

ROOMS FOR RENT—WEST

COOK, 3648—Furnished rooms.

COOK, 3617—Neatly furnished warm rooms for gentlemen only; $2.

COOK, 3916—Nicely furnished front room, $3; back, $2; furnace, free phone. (7)

COOK, 4302—Nice, clean, newly furnished room, $1.50 week.

COOK, 3615—Warm, light room, housekeeping; people employed; no children; $2.50 week.

COOK, 4276—Two elegant unfurnished rooms, for housekeeping; heat, electric light, fuel, gas, furnace.

COOK, 4244—Two rooms, for light housekeeping; gas, bath, kitchen cabinet; laundry.

COOK, 4299E—Furnished room, for gentleman, hot water, bath, private family, reasonable.

COOK, 4310—Two connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; modern; respectable private family; Delmar 4484X.

DE GIVERVILLE, 5735—Front south room, overlooking Forest Park; all conveniences; University car.

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DELMAR BL., 5022A—Nicely furnished front room.

DELMAR BL., 5149—Steam heated room, all conveniences; reasonable. Monroe 903.

DELMAR BL., 3940—Second-story front, for 3; conveniences; $15 per month each.

DELMAR BL., 3870—Elegantly furnished rooms for housekeeping; electric light, Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 5228—Light housekeeping rooms; running water, gas, electricity; phone, reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 5062A—Large front room; steam heat, all conveniences; Bell phone; kitchen privileges optional.

DELMAR BL., 4379—Nicely furnished warm front room; hot bath; $2 week; hall room, $1.50.

DELMAR BL., 4034—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; housekeeping if desired; very reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3921—Housekeeping rooms, electric lights, hot water; free Bell; phone, heat.

DELMAR BL., 4146—Beautiful, warm room, 2d floor, housekeeping; everything modern; cheap rent.

DELMAR BL., 4363—Nicely furnished large room with kitchenette; southern exposure; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 4413—Furnished rooms; electric lights, steam heat, free phone; housekeeping privileges.

DELMAR BL., 4000—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas, bath, etc.

DELMAR BL., 3817—Elegantly furnished front room for two gentlemen; separate beds; telephone.

DELMAR BL., 3907—Nicely furnished rooms, good heat, hot water; all conveniences; $2 up.

DELMAR BL., 4004—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, hot and cold water; "in rooms; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 4360A—Two connecting front rooms; gas range, electric light, hot water; all conveniences and comfort.

DELMAR BL., 4363A—Extra handsomely furnished large room, $2.50 week; Bell phone; private family; flat.

DELMAR BL., 3672A—Neatly furnished front room and one back room, well heated; hot bath; for gentlemen or ladies employed.

DELMAR BL., 4146—Two well-furnished front rooms, gas plate, electric lights, continuous hot water, phone.

DELMAR BL., 4137B—Two large unfurnished rooms; steam heat; hot water; gas stove; bath; electric fixtures; $12.

DELMAR BL., 4015—Newly furnished housekeeping if desired; electricity, heat, phone.

DELMAR BL., 4396—Two front warm connecting housekeeping rooms; 2d floor; gas range; good laundry; newly papered and furnished; everything new; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4305—Nicely furnished sleeping room, suitable for lady or gentleman employed; $1.75 per week; no other roomers; bath and phone; small flat. Lindell 448.

DELMAR BL., 4622—Two connecting rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; also single room, $2; steam heat, electric service, free phone, hot and cold water; also one room, unfurnished, $9; also first floor room with kitchen, $12; other rooms.

DELMAR BL., 4338—Furnished rooms; heat, electricity.

DELMAR BL., 4296—Nicely furnished room, for gentleman or lady; all conveniences; cook if wanted.

DELMAR BL., 4037—Furnished room, for light housekeeping, electric light, heat and free phone.

DELMAR BL., 4451—Newly furnished housekeeping rooms, furnace, hot water, phone, reception hall, electricity, reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4042A—I have a nicely furnished room in private family; southern exposed; respectable party employed; Lindell 1526R.

DELMAR BL., 3643—Large, comfortable furnished rooms; all conveniences; private family; gentlemen or lady employed.

DELMAR BL., 4419A—Large, nicely furnished, double rooms, for 2 or 3 young men; small family; breakfast if desired.

DELMAR BL., 4808A—Furnished light sleeping rooms, modern; cooking gas, $1.50 up; rates to milliners.

DELMAR BL., 3606—Furnished front room; stationary washstand, steam heat, all modern conveniences; private home.

DELMAR BL., 3873—Second-floor front; housekeeping, sleeping; for gentlemen; telephone; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4465A—Neatly furnished, front room, electricity, plenty hot water, also heat, telephone free.

DELMAR BL., 4315—Nicely furnished sleeping room, hot-water heat; every convenience; first-class.

DELMAR BL., 5715—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; steam heat; electric light. Bell phone. (1)

DELMAR BL., 5212—Two-room apartment, completely furnished for light housekeeping.

DELMAR BL., 3817—Two connecting rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; telephone reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3817—Elegantly furnished front room for two gentlemen; separate beds; telephone.

DELMAR BL., 3907—Nicely furnished rooms, good heat, hot water; all conveniences; $2 up.

DELMAR BL., 4004—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, hot and cold water; "in rooms; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 4360A—Two connecting front rooms; gas range, electric light, hot water; all conveniences and comfort.

DELMAR BL., 4363A—Extra handsomely furnished large room, $2.50 week; Bell phone; private family; flat.

DE GIVERVILLE, 5735—Front south room, overlooking Forest Park; all conveniences; University car.

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DELMAR BL., 5022A—Nicely furnished front room.

DELMAR BL., 5149—Steam heated room, all conveniences; reasonable. Monroe 903.

DELMAR BL., 3940—Second-story front, for 3; conveniences; $15 per month each.

DELMAR BL., 3870—Elegantly furnished rooms for housekeeping; electric light, Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 5228—Light housekeeping rooms; running water, gas, electricity; phone, reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 5062A—Large front room; steam heat, all conveniences; Bell phone; kitchen privileges optional.

DELMAR BL., 4379—Nicely furnished warm front room; hot bath; $2 week; hall room, $1.50.

DELMAR BL., 4034—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; housekeeping if desired; very reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3921—Housekeeping rooms, electric lights, hot water; free Bell; phone, heat.

DELMAR BL., 4146—Beautiful, warm room, 2d floor, housekeeping; everything modern; cheap rent.

DELMAR BL., 4363—Nicely furnished large room with kitchenette; southern exposure; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 4413—Furnished rooms; electric lights, steam heat, free phone; housekeeping privileges.

DELMAR BL., 4000—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas, bath, etc.

DELMAR BL., 3817—Elegantly furnished front room for two gentlemen; separate beds; telephone.

DELMAR BL., 3907—N

ROOMS WITH BOARD—WEST

MAPLE, 3035—Splendid, large, light, warm room; private family; home cooking and comforts. Forest 1784W. (3)

MARLBOROUGH, 4357—Elegantly furnished rooms and board, hot-water heat; continuous hot water; excellent table; references. Forest 70. (3)

MARYLAND, 4152—Front room, for couple, with board, $40; single, $5 per week.

MARYLAND, 4304—Nicely furnished rooms; excellent meals; all modern conveniences; Maryland car; phone.

MARYLAND, 4256—Have a lovely room, well furnished, suitable for 2 gentlemen or couple; with splendid table. Doris Apartment, 1st floor west.

MINERVA, 5132—Room and board in private family; all conveniences. Forest 7082W.

MORGAN, 4018—Nice, warm room for one or two men; good board, $5 week.

MORGAN, 4106—Furnished room, with board, single or double; steam heat, electric lights.

MORGAN, 4480—Neatly furnished southern exposed room and board, adjoining bath; conveniences. Forest 5441.

MORGAN, 4627—Neatly furnished housekeeping or board, in modern home; continuous hot water; reasonable. (1)

NEVADA, 4112—Two nicely furnished connecting rooms; good board; also single room; terms reasonable.

NORTH, 4507—Room with board, southern exposure, 2d floor front; with alcove; furnace; in mahogany; electric lights, excellent board; use of parlor; piano in home; Hodiamont and Taylor cars; $5 week; also adjoining room, $4.50 week; furnished in mission. Monroe 1788L.

OLIVE, 4265—Large front room with board; steam heat; suitable for couple or gentleman. Lindell 3089.

PAGE BL., 4545—Nicely furnished room and board, $5 per week.

PAGE BL., 5039—Second-floor front room for gentleman; warm and cheerful; excellent table; small family.

PAGE BL., 5054A—Large front room, board for 2; excellent table; ladies or gentlemen. Forest 4352R.

PAGE BL., 4445—Room, with or without board; private Jewish home; for one respectable gentleman.

PLYMOUTH, 5838—Desirable front room, in private family; first-class meals; home privileges; delightful neighborhood. Phone Cabany 3626J.

ROSEDALE, 4060—Two respectable men can find comfortable home in refined Jewish family, West End. Box B-223, Post-Dis.

ROSEDALE, 4060—Single front room, for lady employed, in private family of adults; 3800 west, near Delmar; board optional; references. Phone Cabany 5526M.

ROOM AND BOARD—2 respectable men can find comfortable home in refined Jewish private family; West End. Box P-232, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—In private family; 5890 west; Maple preferred; gentleman, single; reasonable; Bell phone; 2 to other boarders; vocal practice. Box H-271, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD—2 respectable men can find comfortable home in refined Jewish private family; West End. Box P-232, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Newly furnished room and board in small adult family; most desirable part of city; Olive line; no other roomers; Jewish family preferred; references. Who is looking for an exceptional opportunity. Box F-236, Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, 3128—Finely furnished front room, kitchenette and closet attached; gas, electricity, hot water and heat; between Dallas and Vest Pine. Lindell 3977.

VERNON, 5040—Single or double rooms; steam heat; modern conveniences; references; family; reasonable. Forest 5967.

VERNON, 5035—Nicely furnished rooms; single and double; good table; hot-water heat.

VERNON, 5446—Steam-heated, single and double room; excellent meals; modern conveniences; reasonable. (2)

VERNON, 5616—Phone Forest 7795; nicely furnished front room, one or two; very reasonable.

VERNON, 5706—Large, newly decorated front room; well furnished; excellent table. Forest 3201.

VERNON, 5012—Attractive large front room, excellent board; cultured people; every convenience; permanent home.

VERNON, 5168—Two pleasant rooms; board; in private home; continuous hot water. Forest 1309W.

VERNON, 5188A—1 or 2 nicely furnished rooms, gentlemen or couple; board optional. (6)

VERNON, 5806A—Attractive single and double room; in modern apartment; all conveniences; good table.

VERNON, 5745—Large room, suitable for 2 men; hot-water heat; also room for 1 man; best board; $5 each; Delmar and Hodiamont cars. Phone Forest 2376. (7)

VERNON, 5111—Large south room; excellent table; reasonable; hot-water heat. Forest 3833.

VERNON, 5011—Large, pleasant room and board, for two employed; all modern conveniences; reasonable. (2)

VERNON, 5106—Two connecting rooms, with breakfast, in private family, for gentlemen; $3 week each; Forest 1492R.

VERNON, 5046—Large front room, suitable for two young men, for couple; board optional. Forest 2776.

VERNON, 5101—Newly furnished second-floor front room; all conveniences; excellent meals. Forest 7595.

VERNON, 5106—Attractive single front room, with board; also lovely 2-floor room, suitable for 2 or 3; excellent table; modern conveniences; reasonable. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 4055—Large front south room, with board, for two; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 4213—Very desirable rooms; excellent table.

WASHINGTON BL., 4320—Single room and board, steam heat, electric lights.

WASHINGTON BL., 4956—Single or double room, with board, for two or three gentlemen or couple employed.

WASHINGTON BL., 5715—Nice southern front rooms; board; hot-water heat, electric lights; reasonable. Lindell 4811. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3876—Nicely furnished room with board; two gentlemen or couple. Phone Delmar 1263W.

WASHINGTON BL., 4010—Well-furnished rooms, with home cooking; all conveniences; reasonable. Forest 4942W.

WASHINGTON BL., 3719—Front room, southern exposure; hot-water heat; excellent table; all conveniences.

WASHINGTON BL., 4004—Nice front rooms for refined people; first-class table and service; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 4922—Lovely room with very best meals and service; home comforts. Forest 3133.

WASHINGTON BL., 4940—Second-story front room for two persons; excellent board; in pleasant home.

WASHINGTON BL., 4554—Large front and single rooms; steam heat; excellent board. Forest 3314W.

WASHINGTON BL., 4511—Beautiful large room, single or double; excellent meals.

WASHINGTON BL., 4311—Elegant single or double rooms, with excellent board; modern conveniences; reasonable. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3964—Elegant front room; hot-water heat; all conveniences; excellent table; private home; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 3842—Delightful rooms, excellent board; individual service; $5 per week. Phone Forest 4813.

WASHINGTON BL., 4523—Newly furnished room; all modern conveniences; excellent board.

WASHINGTON BL., 3702—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; steam heat, electric lights; all modern conveniences.

WASHINGTON BL., 5028—Front, also single room, with board, in nicely furnished, hot-water heat.

WASHINGTON BL., 3716—Two large rooms, running water, steam heat, electric lights; suitable board and every home comfort; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 4345—Vacant 15th; a handsome, southern-exposed room; hardwood floors, electricity, hot water; good home cooking; couple employed or gentlemen; reasonable.

WATERMAN, 5200—Well-furnished double room; also single room; steam heat; good home; refined surroundings; references. (1)

WEST, 5355A—3 rooms and bath; rent only $14; gas.

WEST, 5706—Large front room with board; WANSTRATH, 7171½ Chestnut st.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4069—2 newly furnished rooms; excellent board.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3818—Nicely furnished front rooms, southern exposure; excellent board; comforts of home. (2)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4626—Beautifully furnished room; running Forest 6448. (2)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4528—Large front and single rooms; with board; refined home; reasonable.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3826—Room and board for 1 or 2 persons; also table board. Lindell 3877. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4257—South front beautifully decorated; conveniences of a private home; meals A1. (2)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4253—Single and double rooms; very desirable; excellent board; conveniences.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3916—Light, warm exposed room; also front room; excellent food; meals; phone.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3836—Nicely furnished room, convenient to board; private

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WESTMINSTER PL., 4119—Large, south front rooms, with board; running hot and cold water in each; with Southern family. (1)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3944—Large, comfortable third-floor room for two people; with plenty to eat of good home cooking; strictly up-to-date; gas and electric; $5 week.

WEST PINE BL., 4389—Beautiful suite of rooms on 2d floor, for 2 or 3 gentlemen, with first-class table board.

WEST PINE BL., 4132—Nicely furnished front rooms, with first-class board; hot-water heat and all modern conveniences; $5 and up. (6)

WINDSOR PL., 3705A—Choice front rooms; board optional; all conveniences; excellent table; $4.50 per week. (c)

NORTH

COTE BRILLIANTE, 3733—3 nice rooms, water, gas, 3 closets; rent $12.

JOHN DOCKERY & SON, 1025 Chestnut st.

COTTAGE, 3649—3 large, bright rooms and bath; on corner; shades, screens, fixtures; hot and cold water, phone and janitor service; only $19; will alter to suit doctor and dentist.

FOURTEENTH, 2410 N.—Room, with or without board.

GOODFELLOW, 2706-08 N.—Living room, bedroom, kitchenette and breakfast room, with furnaces, tile bath, slate sinks, cooling closets, icebox drains, shades, screens, lace curtain rods, electric fixtures and large inclosed porch; $19. Representative on premises from 2 to 5 today.

ARCHSHOEFER & GLIK R. E. CO., 701-02 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg.

GRAND, 2905—Furnished rooms, nicely furnished, first-floor front room for gentleman or couple, with or without board; furnace heat and electric lights. Lindell 2529.

HARPER, 3205—Furnished room, with board; all conveniences; near Grand and Fairground Park cars.

LEXINGTON, 3916—Beautifully furnished southern exposed rooms; electric light; continuous hot water; good home cooking; reasonable. Colfax 1924.

NINTH, 2401 N.—Furnished rooms, with or without board, for light housekeeping; (2)

POPE, 2212—Room and board; refined family, opposite O'Fallon Park. Delmar 4707L.

PRAIRIE, 4332—Room and board, steam heat, all conveniences, board optional.

PRAIRIE, 1806 N.—New modern five-room flat, fixtures furnished; $18.

JOHN DOCKERY & SON, 1025 Chestnut st.

ROOM AND BOARD—Attractive bedroom and solarium in exclusive apartment; southern exposure; excellent meals; convenient to Delmar and University car; gentlemen. Cabany 5526M.

ST. LOUIS, 4067—Nicely furnished room and board; all conveniences, for gents or couple employed. Box F-206, Post-Dispatch. (1)

SEMPLE, 2903—Three rooms, water, gas, toilet; $10 per month. (c)

WARREN, 2541—3 rooms and bath; $16 good condition.

GEO. J. WANSTRATH, 7171½ Chestnut st.

ROOMS WANTED

FURNISHED ROOMS Wtd.—2 or 3, for light housekeeping; good location. Phone Forest 7246.

ROOM Wtd.—Unfurnished; near 4000 Easton. Call Delmar 3860, Lindell 4889.

ROOM Wtd.—In private family; good neighborhood; must be well heated and lighted. Box D-8, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Furnished, by gentleman; modern apartment; West End; permanent. Box F-45, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two single, one double, second-floor, West End, not over $100; parties employed. Box F-26, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—2 or 3, unfurnished, from 3500 to 3900 west; Russell and Magnolia; or will share flat. Box H-29, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Furnished front, light housekeeping; lady employed; state price; reasonable. Box D-19, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Large, unfurnished, not over $4; west of Grand, between Easton, Olive. 3528 Page.

ROOMS Wtd.—3 or 4 neatly furnished rooms, in private family, near Grand av., to be used for office by chiropractors. Box F-261, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two; housekeeping; by couple with two small children; steam heat, gas range. Address Mrs. L., 3d floor, 4465 Morgan.

ROOM Wtd.—In private family, by young lawyer, in desirable neighborhood; southern room; vicinity Delmar-King's highway; must be reasonable; state fully. Box D-188, P.-D.

ROOMS Wtd.—Mother and daughter desire to share small furnished apartment with lady employed; state location and price. Box H-91, Post-Dispatch. (c)

ROOMS Wtd.—For light housekeeping; two or three furnished rooms, private family; reasonable; neighborhood Sarah and Laclede; state terms. Box R-31, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Girl, 15, wants nice home, with Christian lady; am a willing worker, would like to care for baby; references. Box H-22, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, in family, where there are no other roomers, near school or convent; location west or southern part of city. Box H-245, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Furnished room by two ladies employed; must be neat and clean and convenient to Olive car; no housekeeping house considered; private family preferred. Phone Olive 272 or write Box D-153, P.-D.

ROOMS Wtd.—Mother and daughter want two light, warm rooms, for light housekeeping; location Grand, Tower Grove, Lafayette, Botanical; location and price. Box H-92, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

BOARD Wtd.—For 3-year-old colored boy; $2 per week. Bomont 2803M, Mrs. Taylor.

BOARD—For mother and care for child while mother is employed; private family. Box R-203, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By March 1, for boy, 15; nice family. Box R-53, Post-Dis.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—High school, student; near Soldan. Box R-63, Post-Dis.; write, 307 Von Versen immediately.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Pleasant room, with board, by elderly lady. Box F-278, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—For baby boy, 4 years old, good parentage; private family; references required. Box H-95, Post-Dis.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By sisters employed; private family; South Side. Box B-108, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Young man wants room and board with private family near Shaw's Garden. Box H-181, Post-Dis.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By gentleman, in private family; West End; price and all particulars. Box R-117, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Young gentleman requires room and board in West End. Box D-261, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Two single rooms by parties employed; also garage; must be reasonable; state terms. Box D-61, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By couple with two children, 3 and 4 years old; state full particulars and lowest price; private family; residence preferred. Box F-48, Post-Dis.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—In private family; 3900 west; Maple preferred; gentleman, single; reasonable; Bell phone; to other boarders; vocal practice. Box H-271, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Gentleman wishes room with breakfast, to apply on rent of 5-room apartment; steam heat, janitor service. Box F-127, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Father and two sons, school age, desire room and board Clark School district; can furnish own room. Box D-266, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By young married couple, in strictly private home, small Protestant family; north or west. Box D-110, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Accommodation for mother and son, in congenial family; prefer neighborhood of Science church; state full particulars. Box F-117, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By refined, educated woman, in home of refined, quiet people, in exchange for services; reference. Box D-16, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD Wtd.—Two unfurnished rooms, with board, for 3 men; will furnish rooms; Protestant preferred; location, South Side. Box B-107, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By young couple, in a strictly private family; must have all conveniences and good table. West End preferred; references; none but A1 need reply; give full particulars. Box R-229, P.-D.

ROOMS AND BOARD Wtd.—One double and two single or two large double rooms; four adults and baby; between Academy and Taylor, McPherson to Cabanne; price $100. Box R-34, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Responsible woman, with 4 select boarders, would like to hear from couple who has 11 or 12 room house to rent for board; must be west of Taylor, north from Delmar; unfurnished or partly so. Box B-138, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATES WANTED

COMPANION Wtd.—Young man, 22, would like someone for companion; have nice housekeeping rooms; will share, with board, for $3 per week to companion. Box F-150, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—For young lady. Grand 3731R.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Will share nice room and board, $5 per week. 6143 Bertha, near Wagner Electric.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Refined young man to share front room; all conveniences; $1.50. 1318A N. Taylor.

HOTELS

ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3127 Locust—100 clean, modern, steam-heated rooms, 75c a day, $3 a week up. (c)

GARNI HOTEL, Jefferson and Olive; electric lights, steam heat; free bath, hotel service, rates, daily 50c, 75c; $1, $3 weekly. (c69)

LAFAYETTE HOTEL, 3438 Franklin av.—American plan, $5.50 up; European plan, $2 up; home cooking; all modern conveniences. Mrs. Lawson, Lindell 1545.

MANCO HOTEL—American plan, rooms $1.50 week up; hot-water heat, bath; convenient to cars. 2214 N. Garrison, near Easton. Central 5135.

HOTELS

LEXINGTON HOTEL, 12th and Market sts., now making special rates by week—$2 single and up; $3 double and up; hot and cold water and phone in each room; rooms with private bath; newly decorated. R. Klein, manager. (c)

HOTEL BENTON—$2.50 WEEK.

819 Pine st., 1 block from postoffice; now making special low weekly rate, $2.50; think, this location, with first-class hotel accommodations, only $2.50 a week; newly renovated. Call and see. (c80)

HOTEL PONTIAC, 19th and Market (one Union Station); absolutely fireproof; private baths, hot and cold running water in rooms; St. Louis' most popular-priced hotel; European plan; reasonable rates. W. P. Linzee, proprietor, St. Louis. (c99)

NEW LINDELL HOTEL SIXTH ST. AND LUCAS AV.—Elegant rooms, with running water, telephones, steam heat, free baths; special rates, $3 single, $5 double; hotel accommodation; most convenient downtown hotel. Central 1245, Olive 706. (c62)

THE PAGEANT.

Bachelor apartments; beautifully furnished and up-to-date; every room with a private bath, 5845-55 Delmar bl. Cabany 248.

THE LODGE

High-class family hotel; every room with bath and telephone; garage. Call Forest 4300. Bell and Page. (c99)

BACHELOR QUARTERS

Centrally located; best suite in city; rooms tastefully and comfortably furnished; can accommodate 3 more gentlemen; 3 baths and garage; reference required. 3694 Lindell bl.; Lindell 2614. M. HINCKLEY, Prop.(c)

FIREPROOF SAN BONITA

110 N. Spring, a handsome family hotel, offering service and cuisine of the best; beautifully furnished; baths and telephones in every room; convenient location to downtown, theaters and parks. (c99)

THE MELVILLE

FORMERLY HALYER HOUSE.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.

Handy to cars; hot and cold water, steam heat; catering to discriminating families; excellent cuisine. 5338 Bartmer av. Forest 3087.

SUBURBAN BOARD

SUBURBAN BOARD—Wanted, children to board in suburbs. Box E-100, Post-Dis.

BOARD—Wanted, child to board; refined family; good country home; references. Box D-215, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSES, FLATS, Etc.

Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

SOUTH—South of Chouteau avenue-Forest Park; NORTH—North of Cass-Easton avenues; CENTRAL—Levee to Grand, Chouteau to Cass-Easton; WEST—Grand to city limits, Chouteau avenue-Forest Park to Cass-Easton.

FURNISHED FLATS—APARTM'TS

MISCELLANEOUS

FURNISHED APARTMENTS—4, 5, 6 and 7 rooms; sun parlors. 1122 Syndicate Trust Bldg.; Olive 374. (c55)

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Private party, having furnishings of large home, will rent; high 3-4 and 5 room apartment for responsible people on small payments; terms reasonable; call Forest 3915. (c69)

CENTRAL.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale cheap for cash; call Immediately. 3011 Lucas.

PINE, 2938—Nicely furnished 4-room flat; 3 beds; conveniences; $24. Apply 1036 Market.

SOUTH

RUSSELL, 3648A—Elegant furnished flat, 5 rooms; all conveniences; near 2 car lines.

WEST

DELMAR BL., 3707—Two or three lovely homelike rooms, sewing machine, electricity, etc. Lindell 3111W.

EVANS, 4320—Elegant furnished flat, four rooms and bath. Lindell 4478W.

FURNISHED rooms, nicely furnished; 2d floor. Call at 4044 Washington. (c1)

FURNISHED FLAT—Will rent 4-room flat, furnished, or sell contents. Apply 1474 Shawmont, corner Shaw. (c)

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Well-furnished, of 4, 5 and 6 rooms, in West End; good service. Inquire Janitor, 4736 W.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Will sublet my furnished 4-room, March 1, for two months or longer; southern exposure. Box N-303, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Beautiful, six rooms, sleeping porch; west of Union; to reliable couple; no children. Box D-197, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—For rent; would like to share beautifully furnished apartment with congenial couple. Phone Cabany 1449.

FURNISHED FLAT—Central West End; 2 rooms, 2d floor, furnished with every convenience for housekeeping; fine heater; gas, electric lights, continuous hot water splendid neighborhood; $25 per month. Phone Forest 2120 or Lindell 2126.

HODIAMONT, 1445—Furnished flats, complete, for housekeeping, 4 rooms, call from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

KENSINGTON, 5082—Six rooms, furnished complete; tile bath, electricity, new furnace; rent $35. (c)

MORGAN, 3912—4-room furnished flat, $5; 5 rooms, 2 weekly; free phone; janitor.

MORGAN, 4543—Apartment of three rooms, furnished, hot water, electric lights, heat, private bath; $25. (c)

OLIVE, 3715—Three-room furnished apartment, steam heat, hot water; everything. $8.

PAGE BL., 4266—Nicely furnished, 4-room flat, downstairs, piano, heat, hot water, $20.

UNION, 1390—Prettily furnished, 4-room flat, steam heat, adults only.

VERNON, 5376A—Nicely furnished flat, 5 rooms; all conveniences; rent $30 per month.

VERNON, 5001A—Cor. King's highway; 6-room, bath; finely furnished; everything complete, piano, strictly clean. (c)

VERNON, 5053A—Six large rooms, bath, beautifully furnished; everything complete, decorated; strictly clean; reasonable. (c53)

WASHINGTON, 6108—Attractively furnished apartment; bright, sunny, clean rooms; immediate possession; see janitor. (c)

NORTH

KENNERLY, 3906—4 light rooms, furnished complete; bath, gas range; $5.50 weekly, including heat. (c)

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT

MISCELLANEOUS

WEST

FURNISHED HOUSE—Goodfellow av.; modern, well-furnished; year's lease; private family only. Cabany 3095.

MARYVILLE, 926 (Cabanne district)—Four rooms, bath, 1st floor; furnished housekeeping; private residence; privilege 2 rooms 2d floor; Hodiamont car.

FLATS WANTED

APARTMENT Wtd.—5-room; or flat; West End, Lindell, Box H-251, Post-Dispatch. (c)

APARTMENT Wtd.—5 or 6 rooms, neighborhood Soldan High; state price, conveniences. Box H-175, Post-Dispatch.

APARTMENT Wtd.—April 1 or May 1; second-story, six-room apartment, northern or southern exposure; west or south side preferred; with garage; will assume unexpired lease; state price. Box D-52, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—3 rooms, upstairs, white bath, electric, by March 1; no children. 2028 Allen av.

FLAT Wtd.—Will buy 4 and 5 room flat, with all conveniences, in South St. Louis; not an agent. Box F-55, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—5 or 6 rooms, lower, or small house; walking distance of St. Rose's Church; with yard; adults. Box H-278, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—To rent 4 or 5 room lower flat, between Ridge and Delmar; 5000 to 5600 west; rent not over $30. Box H-267, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—4 rooms; or cottage; give particulars, size of rooms, car lines, etc. Box D-107, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—3-room; electric; new or nearly new; furnace; reasonable. Box D-174, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Near Grand, between Lafayette and Humphrey; give description and inducements. Box R-105, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—By couple, before March 5, modern furnished room, upper flat, new one preferred; state location, description and price. Box D-119, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED

APARTMENT Wtd.—Furnished, of 5 rooms, West End preferred; must be modern; one year's lease preferred; best of references. Box F-145, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS Wtd.—For reliable tenants; small fee. 1122 Syndicate Trust Bldg.; Olive 374. (c55)

FURNISHED ROOMS Wtd.—Three, for light housekeeping; must be central. Box B-187, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—In good location, 5 or 6 rooms completely furnished, modern apartment or house; when answering give price, location, number rooms and all particulars. Box H-45, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS WANTED

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FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—3, 4 or 5 rooms, West End; must be strictly modern. Box R-116, Post-Dispatch. (7)

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—3 rooms, by couple; in either south or west; price must not exceed $30. Box B-137, Post-Dispatch. (7)

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2103 Clark, 4 rooms..... 11 00
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OFFICE SPACE—819 Washington av.

OFFICE SPACE—Separate room; heat, light and telephone service. 1115 Olive. (c7)

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Elegant three-story building, suitable for large retail store; apply

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Three fine storerooms; best place for light manufacturing; northeast corner 6th and Walnut, second dandy third floors, 30x70 Walnut, 3-story brick; steam elevator. $65; 430-36 S. 7th st., near Clark, four stores, together, separate, $18 each; also 2001 Clark, small store, corner, $20; will give one month free, load of coal free. Maguire Coal Co., Boatmen's Bank Bldg. (c99)

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1801 Olive st.; three-story building; stores and rooms above; three blocks from Union Station; will lease to responsible party.

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Five floors and basement; elevators, heating, etc.; rate to satisfactory tenant; alter to suit; possession about March 1.

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1718 Olive st.; running entire depth to alley; 9300 square feet; near Union Station and new Postoffice; would alter to suit and place in good order immediately.

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ELEGANT STORE
3120 LOCUST ST.
32 x 110.

PAUL JONES REALTY CO.,
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2130 S. Broadway, store and rooms.
1531 S. Broadway, store and rooms.
1300 Clark, large store.
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1260 N. King's highway, store with heat; paying location for any business.
1916 S. Seventh, store and rooms.
1900 S. Seventh, store and rooms.
1815 Market, offices, suitable for law.
806-07 Walnut, store.
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DRESSMAKER—To rent space in ladies' tailoring establishment. 5117 Delmar.

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1518 Missouri, 17 rms., bath, fur., sta. ..$75 00
4919 McPherson, 10 rms., bath, fur., etc. 60 00
5560 Lindell, 10 rms., bath, furnace; will put in first-class order 60 00
1926 Olive, 18 rms., baths, fur., etc. .. 50 00
2584 Von Versen, 9 rooms, bath, fur. .. 45 00
5710 Vernon, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, etc. 45 00
4003 West Pine bl., 10 rms., bath, fur. 40 00
1129 St. Ange, 10 rooms, bath, furnace. 30 00
6199 Crescent, 5 rooms; modern 16 00
4432 Norfolk, 4 rooms, etc. 12 00
6088 Hancock av., 4-room cottage 9 00
1335 Hughes pl., 3 rooms 8 00

APARTMENTS.

With every modern convenience and service.

4633 Westminster (apartment F) 40 00
4633 Westminster (apartment A) 35 00
510 Walnut (apartment A) 35 00

FLATS.

4371 Delmar, 6 rooms, modern 25 00
5168 Cates, 6 rooms, bath, furnace, etc. 25 00
5041 Kensington, 6 rooms, bath, fur.. 22 50
5037 Indiana av., 5 rms., bath, furnace 22 50
1236 N. Vandeventer (corner), 7 rooms, bath, suitable for doctor or dentist 20 00
4405A Evans, 5 rooms, bath 20 00
3714 Evans, 5 rooms, bath 20 00
5843A Minerva, 4 rms., bath, furnace 20 00
5835 Minerva, 4 rms., bath, furnace 20 00
4061 Shenandoah, 4 rooms, bath 18 00
3906A Park, 4 rooms, bath 17 00
4249A Easton, 5 rooms, bath 17 00
5033A N. Sarah, 4 rooms, bath, fixtures 17 00
1236 N. Vandeventer (corner), 7 rooms, bath, suitable for doctor or dentist 20 00
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5033A N. Sarah, 4 rooms, bath, fixtures 17 00
4636 Cleveland, 3 rooms, bath, furnace 20 00
1831 A. 18th, 6 rooms, bath 20 00
2705 N. Whittier, 4 large rooms, bath 20 00
3342 N. Franklin, 7 rooms, bath 20 00
2847 Magnolia, 5 rooms, bath and attic 20 00
4106 Castleman, 4 rooms, bath, furnaces 19 00
3313A Magnolia, 4 rooms, bath, combination fixtures 19 00
3313A Magnolia, 5 rooms, bath, combination fixtures 19 00
2708 Lucas, 5 rooms, bath, furnace. 18 00
2722 Meramec, 5 rooms, bath 18 00
1229 Dillon, 5 rooms, bath 18 00
3313 Magnolia, 3 rooms, bath, comb. fix 18 00
1815A S. Jefferson, 5 rooms, bath 17 00
2819A Shenandoah, 3 rooms, bath, combination fixtures 17 00
3250A S. Jefferson, 6 rooms, bath 17 00
4018A Tennessee, 6 rooms, bath, fixt. 16 00
2851 Magnolia, 4 rooms, bath, fixtures 16 00
2239A Oregon, 3 rooms, bath, fixtures 16 00
2000 McNair, 5 rooms, bath 16 00
1610A Grattan, 3 rooms, bath 15 00
623 Kansas, 3 rooms, comb. fix., bath 15 00
1107 Lth. 3 rooms, bath, fixtures 15 00
3409 S. Broadway, 4 rooms, bath 13 00
1109A Grattan, 3 rooms, bath 11 00
4540 Manchester, 4 rooms 15 00
2224 Hickory, 6 rooms, bath 15 00
2218 Hickory, 4 rooms, bath 15 00
1242 N. Vandeventer, 4 rooms, bath. 15 00
4161A Bingen av., 4 rooms 12 00
2421A Coleman, 4 rooms 13 00
4131 Blaine, 4 rooms 12 50
2701 Dillon, 3 rooms, bath 12 00
1723 Franklin, 4 rooms 11 00
4008A Easton, 3 rooms 11 00
2236A Cass, 3 rooms and bath 11 00
1355A Academy, 3 rooms 11 00
3728A Lucas, 3 rooms 9 00
3405 Market, 3 rooms 9 00
1948 Lynch st., 4 rooms 9 00
2259 Chouteau, 3 rooms, bath 9 00
1440A N. Twenty-second, 3 rooms 9 00
1735A Franklin av., 3 rooms 8 00
4018A Cozens av., 3 rooms 8 00
5844A Lucky, 3 rooms 8 00
5855A Easton, 3 rooms 8 00
5855 Easton, 4 rooms 7 00

FOR COLORED.

4045 Cook, 9 rooms, furnace 32 50
3972 Finney (dwelling), 8 rooms, b., fur. 30 00
2259 Chestnut, 9 rooms, bath, etc. 30 00
5028A Laclede, 5 rooms and bath 20 00
617 N. Ewing, 4 rooms, bath 16 00
2819 Wash, 3 rooms, bath 14 00
2614A Wash, 3 rooms, bath 14 00
3919 Finney, 8 rooms 12 50
1010 N. Jefferson, 5 rooms 12 50
2344 Carr, 3 rooms 11 00
2344A Carr, 3 rooms 10 00
2736 Mills, 3 rooms 8 50

STORES.

2234 Cass, large, and rooms above.... 50 00
2836 Olive 45 00
4271 Easton av. 27 50
3122 S. Spring 15 00
5949 S. Broadway 12 50
5570 Ridge 10 00
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413-15 N. Eighth, separate or together; splendid retail location and growing neighborhood; good reason for selling. Box H-247, Post-Dis.

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McPHERSON, 4936—Garage, rear; reasonable; keys 4936 McPherson. Lindell 4475W.

RANDOLPH, 2318—Garage, room for light trucks; cheap rate; all conveniences.

RUSSELL, 3020—Garage; reasonable rent.

S. Broadway, 2 rooms 7 00

STORES.

3747 Hebert, store and rooms above.... 25 00
3617 Easton, store and rooms 25 00
4146 Olive, store 25 00
4111 Papin, store and rooms above.... 15 00
2112 Cherokee, store 16 00

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1907 Lucas, 7 rooms 25 00
2728 Clark, 6 room house 21 00
3109 Lawton, 4 rooms 15 00
3821 Hickory, 3 rooms 10 00
5614 Cozens, 3 rooms 10 00

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5182 Washington, 12 rooms, bath, steam heat, hardwood floors, garage .. 100 00
5511 Cleopatra, 12 rms., 2 baths, hot-water heat, hardw. fls., garage .. 90 00
5139 Vernon, 11 rms., bath, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, garage 75 00
5146 Cabanne, 11 rms., bath, fur., fix. 75 00
6015 Westminster pl., 6 rooms (bungalow), bath, hot-water heat, fixtures, garage 45 00
4183 McPherson, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, garage .. open .. 45 00
5133 Kensington, 11 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures 45 00
5428 Laclede, 10 rooms, bath, furnace 35 00
6016 Locust, 12 rooms, bath, fur., fix. 25 00
4065 Delmar, 8 rooms, bath, fur., fix. 22 50
3938 Olive, 8 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures 21 00
4299B Cook, 8 rooms, bath, furnace. 20 00
2786 Olive, 12 rooms, bath 30 00
4576 Morgan, 6 rooms, bath, hot-water heat, fixtures 22 50
4617 North Market, 7 rms., bath, fur. 27 50
4630 Page, 4 rooms, bath 13 00
1021 S. Tenth, 9 rooms, bath 15 00
4314 Gano, 3 rooms, fixtures 13 00

APARTMENTS.

5508 Waterman, 8 rooms, tile bath, steam heat, janitor service, garage, etc., first floor east 70 00
5296 Page bl., 8 rooms, tile bath, st. heat, janitor, 2d floor 65 00
N. w. cor. Taylor and Washington, 6 rms., bath, st. heat, janitor, 2d fl. 60 00
4945 Washington, 7 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, first floor 55 00
5269 Westminster pl., 6 rooms, tile bath, steam heat, janitor, 1st floor.. 42 50
"San Marcos," 5108-40 Delmar, 4 and 5 rooms, tile baths, steam heat, janitor; strictly modern ..$40 00 & 42 50
5204 Waterman, 6 rooms, bath, steam heat, hardwood floors, janitor service, first floor 40 00
4630 Westminster, 6 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor 40 00
5567 Cabanne, 5 rooms, bath, st. heat, janitor, first floor 40 00
5294 Page bl., 6 rooms, steam heat, janitor, modern 35 00
4651 Delmar, 6 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, 2d floor 35 00
4657 Delmar, 6 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, 1st floor 32 50

FLATS AND ROOMS.

1808 Pine, 12 rooms, bath, 2d and 3d floors 40 00
4103 Shaw, 4 rooms, sun parlor, bath, hot-water heat, fix., 2d floor .. 35 00
5708A Von Versen, 9 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures 27 50
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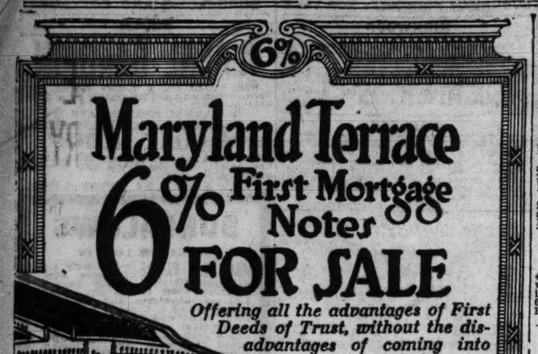
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FLAT—For sale, my $2500 equity in double three-room flat, good condition; West End; must be sold at once. Cabany 4841R.

FLAT—For sale; have a modern 2-family flat in West End; 4 and 5 rooms; very reasonable. Box N-250, Post-Dispatch.

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FLAT—For sale, double; good condition; good renting property. 1211-15 Tyler st.

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FLAT—For sale, 4348A Warne, flat, nice location; all conveniences; reasonable.

Jefferson Av. Double Flat

2722 N. Jefferson av.; lot 77 feet front; 2-story brick, for 4 families, of 3 rooms each, large attic; rent $540 a year; price $4500; want an offer.
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4014-16 Cote Brilliante av.; 4-family flat of 3 rooms and bath; rents $672; deed of trust $4000; price $4750; make us an offer.
EASTON-TAYLOR TRUST CO.,
Easton and Taylor avs.

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2885 Warren st.; lot 25x140; 2-story brick, for 2 families, of 5 and 5 rooms, bath rooms; rent $390 a year; this is the biggest bargain in town for $3250; will take $500 cash or trade to suit; make an offer.
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1942x44 Palm; lot 83x147; 2-story brick for 4 families, of 3 rooms each; rent $528 a year; owner asking $5000; we want an offer.
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MISCELLANEOUS

HOUSE—For sale; modern, 6 rooms, 2-story brick; no agents. Box D-89, Post-Dix.

HOUSE—For sale; I have an eight-room attached house, in perfect condition, 25x125; make me an offer. Box R-225, P.-D. (c)

RESIDENCE—For sale, modern, 6 rooms, West End; large lot; good farm land; reasonable. Box R-8, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HOME—For sale, 10-room, modern, in private park; a bargain. 6786 Cabanne. $7500; terms. Box R-277, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HOUSE—For sale; will sell or trade my house, with 8 rooms, 2 baths, tiled floors, electric lights, steam heat, leaving city. Box B-214, Post-Dispatch. (99)

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CENTRAL

HOUSE—For sale; nine-room brick; bath, furnace; lot 80x284; bargain. 3133 Locust. Dr. Sante, 1115 S. Grand.

SOUTH

RESIDENCE—For sale; large; 2635 Russell; 50-ft. lot; make offer. Box E-197, P.-D.

HOUSE—For sale; 1 family, 6 rooms, gas and bath, price $2000. 3454 Illinois.

RESIDENCE—For sale; will build on next lot to suit; terms. 4514 S. Compton. (7)

RESIDENCE—For sale; 4975 Reber; modern, 7 rooms, with all conveniences; will sell, trade or rent. J. Boxermay, Central 4439.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 9-room; 1304 S. 10th; bargain for quick sale; rents for $22.50; will sell for $1850. Apply at 1124 Olive.

RESIDENCE—For sale, 10-room, stone-front, brick furnace, electric lights, granitoid cellar, garage; lot 50x125; desirable neighborhood; South St. Louis; a sure bargain; $4800; no dreamers. Box F-45, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—For sale, double 1-story, finished attic; 9 rooms and bath; $800 block Indiana; 10 per cent investment; $1000 cash, balance time, at 4 per cent. Drug store, 7th and Wyoming.

RESIDENCE—For sale, modern 10-room residence, hot-water heat, combination fixtures, tile baths, screens, garage, cold storage, cellar; bargain for quick sale; $7500. Call and see 3690 Hereford.

BARGAIN AT $3500.

For sale; 6-room residence, 45-ft. lot, large lawn with trees, barn, suitable either as garage or chicken house; will exchange for roadstock or small automobile; owner must sell at once; easy terms. Inquire 4418 Montana st.

Rent $900—Price $5500

Three attached 8-room houses, on South Side. Owner must sacrifice. Full information can be had from
JULIUS HALLER REALTY CO.,
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MAN HANDY WITH TOOLS BIG SNAP

2726 Hermitage av., one-story frame dwelling of four rooms, gas, fine well and large barn; lot 50x125 feet; price $350; lumber cost far more.
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For Sale—AT A Bargain

1817-19-21 California av., 3 2-story 6-room brick houses, with bath; rent $720; price $5800; look at these houses today and see us tomorrow.
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Rare Chance—14% Investment

1917-19 Hickory; double brick house, containining four flats, four rooms and bath each; in good condition; only $5800; rent $816; easy payment.
HENRY HEIL, 210-14 S. 4th. (c)

McCausland Av. Bargain

OWNER HAS LEFT THE CITY

1069 McCausland av.; lot 35x125 ft.; 7-room house; 8 years old; hot-water heat, hardwood floors, tile bath, tile roof, copper gutters and downspouts, steel girders and columns, brick porch with second-floor balcony; all modern improvements; one block from Market car line; price and terms right. Apply on the premises.

RARE OPPORTUNITY TO BUY A HOME CHEAP

3825 Connecticut st.; a Queen Anne residence, containing nine rooms, tile bath, laundry, furnace, reception hall, finished laundry, garage; lot 50x125; this is a dandy home, and can be bought very cheap; non-resident.
HEMMELMANN-SPACKLER, 622 Chestnut.

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OWNER will sell 4-family apartment; 6 rooms each, in West End; leased $2100; price $15,000; easy terms. Box D-109, P.-D.

RESIDENCE—For sale; Waterman av.; 10 rooms, baths, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, slate roof; $7500. Box R-35, P.-D.

RESIDENCE—For sale, 9-room modern; big bargain; easy terms. See owner, 4004 Forest Park.

HOUSE—For sale; 7 rooms; Cabanne district; 50-ft. front; terms. Box F-157, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—For sale; 8 rooms; hardwood floors; newly decorated; large lot; garage; 6100 block Maple. Forest 8306R.

HOUSE—For sale, 9-room brick; St. Mark's Parish; Misses' value $5000; price $4360. Box D-151, Post-Dispatch.

ATTENTION, PHYSICIANS!

4918 Olive st.; a live neighborhood; 2 car lines; this property arranged for a physician or dentist; 14 beautiful rooms, 4 baths, hot-water heat, sleeping porch, garage; everything strictly modern; lot 25x150. See us for particulars and price.
MERCANTILE TRUST CO., Agent,
Eighth and Locust Sts.

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HOUSE—For sale; 6 rooms; 4000 block Kennerly av. Box F-71, Post-Dispatch.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 10 rooms, furnace, bath, fixtures; taken in trade; $2000; easy terms; Leo car line. Box N-215, Post-Dis.

HOUSE—For sale or exchange, 6 rooms and bath, hot-water heat; will consider cottage or small flat. Box D-176, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—For sale, old, on a 50-ft. lot, cheap; located at 2410 Taylor av.; inquire of owner, 3507 Humphrey.

"LINDELL PLACE HOME"

3957 Greer av.; a 7-room and finished attic, stock-brick house, with slate roof; staircase, doors and interior woodwork of solid oak; each floor has cabinet mantels, with gas grates and plenty of closets; nice tile bath, fine furnace; granitoid basement with toilet; brick piers and steel beams; a splendid home, with beautiful yard and lawn; brick ashpit; telford street and brick alley; lot 30x140; inspect it; occupied by owner; an exceptional bargain for $5000.
CHAS. L. WEBER, 811 Chestnut st.

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4112 Fairfax av., four-room brick dwelling, lot 30x125; always rented; will make terms. See us about this quick.
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4271 Athlone; lot 30x156; 2½ story brick residence of 7 rooms, reception hall, bathroom, furnace, granitoid cellar, brick porch with stone steps; all conveniences; located only 2 blocks from the park; owner in house will be pleased to show you through.
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RESIDENCES FOR SALE

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FLAT—For sale or exchange; 5924 Page bl.; elegant 6 and 7 room flat, hot-water heat; hardwood floors, stationary stands in bedrooms; elegant fixtures; large reception halls; for modern West End residence. Forest 3906.

RESIDENCE—For sale; I have a nice 7-room brick residence, 5400 west, 2 blocks from car line; large lot; a dandy; will sell or trade for stock of merchandise. Box N-248, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—For sale, 8 rooms, 4300 west, near Olive; all conveniences; bargain; owner leaving city; fine opportunity for party wishing to take fine, select boarders. Lindell 1385W.

RESIDENCE—For sale; northeast corner Clara and Von Versen avs., 14-room brick; lot 75x115 feet; could be converted into two dwellings or fine location for apartment. S. Gleason, 5081 Von Versen.

HOUSE—For sale; 3858 Page bl.; stone-front; 7 rooms and bath; fine trees and bushes; lot 27x165; will be sold at a very low price to close an estate. For card of admission call 227 Title Guaranty Bldg., or Lindell 4708R. (c)

DWELLING—For sale; 5930 Berlin; 7-room; tile bath, hardwood floors throughout; copper gutters, bronze screens, slate roof; hot-water heat, etc.; can be bought at a very reasonable price, on easy terms. Open Sunday afternoon and by appointment.
LEISNER REALTY AND BLDG. CO.,
1344 Pierce Bldg.

SPECIAL FOR—3638 FINNEY AV.
Owner of this property has same in fine condition and will sacrifice for quick sale. Just 300 feet west of Grand.
CASE-HEATH R. E. CO., 1006 Chestnut st.

$3500—41x DELMAR BL.—$3500.

Modern 8-room residence; electricity; Front Rank furnace.
GLAICH, 318 Central National Bank Bldg.

5068 KENSINGTON

Nine-room residence; hardwood floors, 1st and 2d floors; modern; electric fixtures; Ruud heater; nicely decorated walls, canvassed and painted; must be seen to be appreciated; moderate price. (1)

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10 rooms, excellent condition; garage; small cash payment, balance same as rent. 4874 Fountain. (1)

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Modern, detached corner house; reception hall, cabinet mantels throughout; gas fixtures, screens, electric light, laundry, cemented cellar, front portico; convenient to Hodiamont Locust cars; immediate possession; $200 Cabanne av.
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4618 MORGAN ST., $3750. SNAP.

Owner of 4618 Morgan st. must sell; will sacrifice cost; will take clear lot in part pay. In good condition; 9 rooms.

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LOT 22x107.

Six rooms, bath, furnace, etc.; everything in good condition. This is certainly a bargain. CORNET & ZEIBIG, 719 Chestnut.

A SPLENDED RESIDENCE
529 PENDLETON AV.

2½-story, 9-room brick residence; reception hall, cabinet mantels, parquet floors, oak finish, chandelier combination fixtures, porcelain bath, granitoid basement; hot-air furnace; in splendid condition. Lot 45x175. Price, $6000.
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Lewis Place Sacrifice

Modern home, 50-foot front, $3000; below value; easy terms. See my attorney, 1014 Fullerton Bldg.

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1321 Blackstone av., a dandy 8-room brick residence; slate roof, bath, furnace, granitoid cellar, garage, etc.; all improvements made; price only $4250; easy terms; owner will show you through.
CHRISTIAN BRINKOP REAL ESTATE CO.,
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4652 MARYLAND AVENUE NEW RESIDENCE

Ten rooms and inclosed sleeping porch; hot-water heat, hardwood floors, marble bathroom, with shower; lot 50x174. See owner, Andrew Craig, on premises, or
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808 Chestnut st.

New Cathedral Parish
4521 Berlin Avenue

14-room brick residence; Colonial style; reception hall, cabinet mantels, hardwood floors, combination fixtures, 3 porcelain tiled baths, granitoid basement and laundry; hot-water heat; lot 63x155. For particulars see
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Modern, up-to-date home; 9 rooms and finished attic, living room, sun parlor and garage; every comfort and convenience; restricted locality; low rent to effect a sale.

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2955 Flad, just finished; 7 livable, bright rooms, with all the latest improvements; built for home and light, etc.; all ready to move in; nice location, opposite Sherman School.

MODEL, NEW HOME.

2128 Gever av., 7 rooms, living room, hot-water heat, hardwood floors; ideal place; new location. Improving; 35-foot lot.

3817 CASTLEMAN AV.

Ideal extra well-built 8-room residence, with south front; one block from Grand av.; house heated with hot water; lot 50x122; all improvements.

4048 FLORA BL.

Beautiful, new, attractive house; contains 9 rooms, large living room across the front; modern finish, etc., with fireproof garage, on 50-foot lot; fine home; on easy terms.

2126-28A RUSSELL AV.

Two-family flat, 6 rooms and bathroom each floor; hall in center affords extra light rooms on all sides; lot 36x124; any offer considered, as it must be sold.

3461 PARK AV.

Ideal 9-room modern home, near Grand av. and Wyman School; garage and all improvements made; will sell very reasonable.

2668 BLOND AV.

Eight-room residence, with all modern conveniences, garage, etc.; reduced to $4000.

3822 McREE AV.

New 2-family flat, 4 and 5 large rooms; all up-to-date improvements; will be complete, nice, convenient neighborhood; reduced to $5250.

3636 WEST PINE BL.

Fine, large 14-room home, with lot 50x218, located near Grand av., and has a good future; to be sold very cheap.

2701-01A ARMAND PL.

Choice corner flat, 5 and 6 rooms, for two families; everything like new; 2 blocks from McKinley High School; bargain price right now.

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Main 6175. 614 Chestnut st. Central 873.

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624 CHESTNUT ST.

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MARYLAND, 4386—Cut-stone front, 7-room residence, hardwood floors, large reception hall, bath, furnace; 2-story stable in rear; lot 20x218 from side of Lake New Cathedral district. It's a bargain. Price $5500.

BERLIN, 6208 (Parkview)—10-room brick residence, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, tile bath, 2 toilets; strictly modern; lot 41x172. Price $13,000.

IOWA, 3785—5-room brick residence; price $3000.

OHIO, 2850—1¼-story brick cottage, 5 rooms, concrete cellar, furnace, slate roof, slate sinks, combination fixtures; lot 29x126. Price $3500.

SCHOLLMEYER, 4950—3-room brick cottage. Price $1900.

TEMPLE PL., 1868—Bet. Minerva and Ridge avs., 7-room brick, slate roof residence; lot 25x150. Price $4200.

MINERVA, 5617—7-room, modern residence, furnace, bath, hardwood floors. Price $5000.

MAGNOLIA PL., 4036-38—6-room bungalow, strictly modern; opposite Tower Grove Park (end of Park and Compton car lines); will finish to suit purchaser. Will sell on terms.

FLATS

BOTANICAL, 3831-33 and 3835-37; two single flats of 6 and 7 rooms, strictly modern; rents $72.50 a month; will show 20 per cent investment.

PAGE BL., 3840—5 and 6 room flat; all modern; lot 25x240. Price $5750.

CLARA, 3706-08—4-room and 5-room dwelling of 8 rooms each. Rents $408 a year. Price $2900.

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South Side Investors, Look
4708 Virginia Av.

Will sell for $4400, grounds and building cost present owner $5000; a cheap piece of property, worthy of attention. See
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New hospital building, 35 rooms, suitable for lying-in institute or select steam heating equipment, electric lighting system; splendid operating rooms. For further particulars and terms apply to
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CENTRAL

STORE BUILDING—For sale; store, with 3 living rooms, brick; price $2100. 3454 Walnut st.

BUSINESS PROPERTY—For sale; improved; rental $4300 a year; also established business netting over $5000 a year; great opportunity to start into an honorable business; can make thorough investigation and verify all statements; highest references. J. C. Williams, Postoffice Box 804, St. Louis.

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East of Grand av.; three-story store and flat; lot 20x185; d. t., $4500; will take clear lot for part pay.
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BUSINESS PROPERTY—For sale; 2611-13-15 Gravois av.; 50x127; brings $1248; bargain; owner on premises.

STORE—For sale, best corner store and 3 flats on Cherokee st., suitable for a first-class bakery. Inquire 2947 Cherokee.

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ATTENTION!

Grocer, butcher, druggist, dry goods man; for sale, 4001-03 Gravois, lot 45x125, 2-story brick store building, flats above, occupied by grocer, lease expires April 1, 1916, parties will lease again, but owner wants to sell; rent $1080 per annum; owner might take some vacant as part payment. See
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I can show you! A few days ago an apartment of 24 rooms was sold for $18,000; also 33-room apartment, $36,000. I have for quick sale 32-room apartment for $18,000; easy terms, monthly paymenis, 9 years' loan on half. On the same street as above, larger lot, more rent, asphalt street, brick alley; all rooms and halls have hardwood floors; tile baths, modern combination fixtures, domes, clothes closets in every room; all light, outside rooms; steam heat, janitor service reasonably low; hot water and up-to-date apartment for $8000 below cost; owner now a nonresident; will sacrifice. Let me show you.

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Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c

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FARM—For rent, 70 acres, near Cuba, Mo.; $75; light team and tools for sale; also some hogs. Box F-21, Post-Dispatch.

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FARM Wtd.—To rent small farm, about 8 acres; near car line. Box F-105, Post-Dispatch.

FARMS Wtd.—Have 3250 buyers; describe your unsold property. 111 Farmers' Exchange, Denver, Colo. (92)

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LAND—For sale; 120 acres of timber land, 6 miles of Doss, Mo.; 35 acres fenced, 3 acres cleared; 50 acres of black oak timber; fine tract; price $1000. H. A. Tripod, 838 Fourteenth st., Detroit, Mich. (99)

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FRUIT AND POULTRY RAISERS—5 acres, 20 hens, 3 pigs, 50 pecan, orange and other fruit trees; 1000 strawberry plants; price $250, cash $5, monthly $5. Write for pamphlet, "What Five Acres on Mississippi Gulf Coast Will Do." Dudley Scheffer, Ocean Springs, Miss. (c)

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New opening; want settlers; send 25c for full details on which a few large and small highly productive Missouri tracts will be let for a term free, all right or left.

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FARM—For sale, 8 acres, all in smooth, level cultivation; under wire fence; 4-room frame house, with 2 porches; good frame barn and poultry house; improvement new; young orchard, chicken yard, garden, grapes and berries; plenty of fine water; all located on State highway, one quarter mile from Cuba, Mo. Price $1200; terms. Ebb Rogers, owner, Cuba, Mo.

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FARM—For sale or rent, my well-improved farm adjoining this booming city; country homes; price $2500 an acre; $500 cash, balance $10 monthly; terms 6 per cent. O'Brien, Friedeckstown, Mo.

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MAN FORD AIDED HAS NAME KNOWN TO POLICE HERE

Viggo Von Holstein Rothlou and Family Brought Over by Members of Peace Party.

Dispatches from New York yesterday, which stated that a Viggo von Holstein Rothlou, his wife, Nora, and his stepson, William Collins, 11 years old, were among the passengers who returned to New York on Henry Ford's peace ship, Oscar II, caused the St. Louis police to recall that on Nov. 5, 1908, a man of the same name and a woman, who said she was his wife, were arrested at the Rosier Hotel on a charge of holding up James Morgan, a traveling salesman.

Rothlou, who said in New York that he was the son of a Danish nobleman, was found living with his family in a garret in Copenhagen by members of the Ford peace party. He is said to have asked aid in bringing his family back to America and Judge Ben Lindsey of Denver persuaded Ford to pay their passage to New York.

The police records here show that the man and woman arrested in 1908 forced Morgan to give up $120 at the point of a revolver and to sign notes for $1500. Morgan's property was returned to him and he declined to prosecute. The couple were released, but their photographs were retained in the rogues' gallery. It was said at that time that they were wanted in Des Moines, Io., for obtaining money under false pretenses in connection with a fake beauty parlor.

The dispatches yesterday said the woman was the widow of Dr. William A. Collins of Des Moines. It was recalled that the wife of the Rothlou arrested here was said to have been known in Des Moines as Mrs. Collins.

BALLET BACKERS TO PICK OUT PROGRAM IN CHICAGO

Grand Opera Committee Will Get Advance View of Russian Dancers Next Week.

Members of the St. Louis Grand Opera Committee, which has arranged to bring Serge de Diaghileff's Imperial Ballet Russe to the Odeon for three performances, March 6 and 7, will go to Chicago next week to attend several performances there, in order to make a final selection of the ballets for the St. Louis engagement.

"Scheherazade," which has aroused comment and discussion in New York and Boston, will probably be given twice, and one other short ballet may be placed on the program for two performances. Otherwise, each performance will have a new program. The task of the program makers is one of elimination rather than of filling up, as the company has enough different ballets to run through considerably more than the number of performances to be given here.

The prices for seats in the St. Louis engagement will be $1 to $5, and boxes seating six persons will sell for $50. These prices are declared by the committee to be higher, and in some cases slightly lower, than those charged in other cities, most of which have halls with larger seating capacity than the Odeon. Applications for season tickets for the three performances, are being received by the Grand Opera Committee's representative at the National Bank of Commerce. The single seat sale will open one week from tomorrow at Vandervoort's, Famous-Barr, Grand-Leader and Nugent's.

ANTI-NEGRO SEGREGATION COMMITTEE OPENS QUARTERS

The Citizens' Anti-Negro Segregation Committee, in charge of the campaign against the adoption of two negro segregation ordinances which will be put to a referendum vote Feb. 29, opened quarters yesterday in the Railway Exchange Building. A meeting of the committee will be held tomorrow night in the Pythian Hall, when further plans for public speaking dates will be decided on.

At an informal meeting of chairmen of committees yesterday officers and committees were definitely decided upon, these selections of the last meeting being ratified and additions made: President, Frank P. Crunden; secretary, Cecil M. Baskett; treasurer, Edgar R. Rombauer; executive committee, Selden P. Spencer, Edgar R. Rombauer, Frank P. Crunden, Rev. Dr. John A. Day, Oscar Leonard, Roger N. Baldwin, Gustavus Tuckerman and Charles A. Pitman; Finance committee, Edgar R. Rombauer, John W. Calhoun and E. E. Pearcy; publicity committee, Oscar Leonard, Joseph Wheless and Dr. Paul R. Fletcher; public meetings committee, Selden P. Spencer and E. E. Pearcy.

COURT HOLDS HOLE IS A LOT

Judge J. E. Dunnegan yesterday, in the Alton City Court, decided that a hole on Cliff street which was owned by Oscar Sotier is a lot and that a paving assessment of $500 against it would have to be paid. Sotier contended that he would not receive any benefit from the paving of the street in front of the hole unless it were filled, which would be as expensive as the paving.

Sotier's attorney took an appeal and the paving will be held up pending final settlement of the case.

FAMILY NEGLECT MEANS JAIL

Alton husbands who fail to support their families will be put in jail at the instigation of Joseph Hermann, overseer of the city's poor, who will swear out a warrant whenever he learns that a family is getting food and fuel from the county as a result of neglect.

The first man to fall under the new policy was B. F. Shaw, who was put in jail yesterday on the complaint of Hermann, who alleged that he failed to support his wife and three children.

POULTRY WORLD

NEWS AND FEATURES OF THE

BEST HENS WASTE TIME IN SPRING ON INFERIOR EGGS

Incubators and Breeders Essential to Best Results—Feeding Birds of All Ages.

By C. T. PATTERSON.
Pathologist Missouri Experiment Station, Mountain Grove.

If the proper selections and matings are made for the breeding yards, the flock next year will be better than this year. If improper selections are made, the flock will not be so good as this year, and if eggs for incubation are taken from a mixed flock in a haphazard manner, haphazard or uncertain results will be sure to follow.

One mistake often made is to set the first hen to go broody in the spring. The best hen is the hen that lays during the winter and she is usually the first to go broody in the spring. About the time the winter layer goes broody, the nonwinter layer begins to lay. Setting the first hen to go broody in the spring on eggs from the flock, usually means that the good winter layer is set on the nonwinter layer's eggs, and as a result the good winter layer spends three weeks incubating the eggs and perhaps six weeks brooding the chicks. The final results are that the good hen has spent about nine weeks raising a brood of chickens from the poor hen; none of her eggs having been used for incubation.

The better plan is to select the good winter players and place them in a breeding yard with a good male, and, by using their eggs for incubation, raise chicks from the good hens, which will improve the egg-production of the flock.

Advantage of Incubators.

Where incubators and brooders are used it is easier to get chicks from the winter layers, for incubation can be done earlier in the season and before the poor layers begin to lay.

In order to secure a good hatch of strong chicks care should be used to select eggs which have good shell texture and are uniform in size and shape. One reason why a hen which steals her nest usually hatches a good per cent is that the eggs are all uniform. No one can get a good hatch from an incubator if the eggs are large and small, long and round, and have thick and thin shells.

The results of many tests at this station indicate that from 10 to 20 females with one male give better fertility than larger or smaller number; the larger breeds, 10; the medium, 15, and smaller ones, 20 females with each male. A sterile hen will produce fertile eggs in about three days after a male is placed in the pen, and the eggs will remain fertile often for 20 days after the male has been removed. Cockerels mated with hens and cocks with pullets usually give best results.

Many methods of feeding are successful. The following rations have given good results:

Rules for Feeding.

First day—Yolk in body supplies food, do not feed.

Boiled egg cut fine, bread crumbs and oatmeal, equal parts; feed in form of mash on clean board all they will eat in 30 minutes, five times per day. Give sour milk each forenoon and water in the afternoon. Keep fine grit or sand before them.

One to five weeks—Equal parts wheat bran, shorts, oatmeal and cornmeal. Use as mash in hopper and give good grade of commercial chick feed in litter. Two pounds of fine charcoal and one-half pound fine salt should be added to each 100 pounds mash. Sour milk or water should be before birds at all times.

Five weeks to maturity—One part ground oats, one part shorts, one part wheat bran, one part cornmeal, one-half part beef scraps, one-fourth part bone meal. Use this as mash in hopper, and give equal parts cracked corn each day. Fresh water and grit should be before them at all times. Free range should be provided.

Fattening ration—Two parts cornmeal, one part shorts, one part wheat bran. Moisten with sour milk. Give cracked corn as grain, all they will eat. Clear water and grit should be provided at all times.

Balanced egg ration—100 pounds corn, 100 pounds wheat, 20 pounds oats, 20 pounds bran, 20 pounds shorts, 20 pounds cornmeal, 20 pounds beef scraps. Two pounds charcoal and one-half to one pound salt should be added to each 100 pounds of mash. Fresh water, grit and oyster shell should be provided at all times.

Moulting ration—Give half ration for two weeks or till birds are poor, then build them up rapidly. Balanced egg ration good.

Breeding ration—Corn and wheat, equal parts, fed in litter night and morning, about a pint to 10 hens. Mash given in balanced egg ration given in afternoons. Free range, grit, oyster shell and fresh water should be provided at all times.

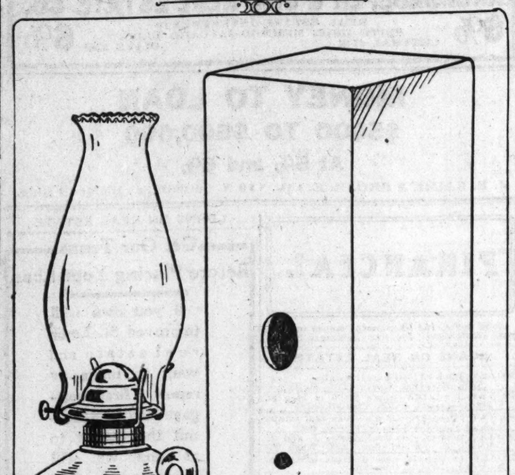
INSURANCE BROKER IS FINED

Prosecution Is First Under Law Providing for State License.

F. M. Henry of Jennings, St. Louis County, pleaded guilty in the Court or Criminal Correction yesterday in the first prosecution under the insurance brokers' law, which became effective about four years ago. The law provides that brokers shall pay a State license of $10 a year.

Henry was fined $25 by Judge Miller after admitting that he had received a commission of $1.68 for placing a fire insurance policy. More than 500 brokers have taken out licenses in the last six months.

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SIMPLE APPARATUS FOR "CANDLING" EGGS...

Poultry Problems Solved.

As to Color of Yolks.

I should like very much for you to tell me, if you can, in your poultry section of next Sunday's Post-Dispatch, what is the cause of yolks of eggs being very light yellow. I am getting four or five eggs a day and the yolks are very light. If you can tell me anything to feed hens that will make the yolks darker, I shall appreciate it.—Unsigned, St. Louis.

There is considerable difference of opinion as to what is the best color of yolks of eggs. At our house we like the yolks pretty light in color. Others like them darker. What is precisely the best color, if there is indeed a best, I do not know, but I repeat that I like the yolks light in color. I don't like to have an egg served to me where the yolk is at all dark. It may be fresh, but I have my suspicions about it if I don't know precisely how old the egg is. If you want the eggs darker, I would suggest that you feed a little more meat and green stuff.

Kitchen Scraps as Food.

Do you think White Leghorns can be raised from the scraps of an ordinary kitchen? If not, what would you advise me to feed with it?—M. C., Alton, Ill.

If the scraps from the table are sufficient in quantity and variety, then chickens can unquestionably be raised on them, but I should not advise using scraps exclusively. You want to be careful in feeding little chicks that you do not have a sloppy feed. If you have a little skim milk to mix with it, it will improve its character. I would suggest that you feed kitchen scraps, being careful to give the chicks only what they will clean up, so that it will not become dirty or sloppy, and that you supplement this with green stuff, such as sprouted oats or grass, and that you feed a prepared chick feed, which will contain a variety of grain. You can get it at a feed store. Of course, something will depend upon the character of the kitchen scraps. This is doubtless valuable food. There isn't anything better, but I would not feed it exclusively.

Treatment for a Cold.

My chickens started to sneeze, and then they acted as though they had something in their throat. Their comb and face turned dark. They don't seem to have any appetite and are constantly coughing. Can you tell me what is the matter?—W. E. B., St. Louis.

I do not know precisely what is the cause of the trouble. I assume that your chickens have colds of some sort. I would suggest the treatment I have often used, permanganate of potash. Put some in rather warm water and wash the head thoroughly with it and immerse the head a moment at a time and several times in the solution, repeating twice a day. I should also give the birds some epsom salts, about one-fourth teaspoonful to one fowl, in soft food, being careful to distribute it so they will eat it all.

No Preventive of Broody Hens.

I should like to know why my chickens start to sit so early this year? They have not been laying longer than two weeks or so. I have no male bird with them. Does that have anything to do with them? My hens last year laid for about four months steadily. They are Rhode Island Reds.—F. C. B., St. Louis.

Assuming that the situation as to feeding and housing is the same as a year ago, I cannot tell why they should not have wanted to sit earlier last year and do want to sit early this year. The fact that no male is with them has nothing to do with the case. I am inclined to think that, with the same kind of care you gave the birds last season, you will get during this season about the same number of eggs. There isn't any way I know of to keep birds that are prone to become broody from doing so. You can break them up after they become broody; but I don't know any preventive means. I should suggest that you feed them with the best skill to produce eggs and see that they get plenty of exercise. Rhode Island Reds are prone to become broody and it is difficult to prevent.

Blindness in Birds.

I have a fine Rhode Island rooster that has been totally blind the last few days. What should I do for him?—D., Mexico, Mo.

I regret to say I cannot give you any advice. Perhaps I couldn't in any case, and certainly not without knowing the cause of the trouble. Quite frequently birds go blind temporary or permanently because their eyes get closed up with some foreign substance. Sometimes they have colds and the eyes get stuck together and the birds are unable to open them. If they are allowed to go without being opened artificially they may go blind. I have had birds act in this way. I would catch them in the morning and pry their eyelids open, and usually after a few days the bird gets over the trouble. In such cases I have also washed out the eyes with permanganate solution. If the bird really is blind, I believe you will not be able to effect a cure.

January Egg-Laying Contest to S. C. Reds

Many pens in the egg-laying contest at the Missouri Experiment Station, Mountain Grove, made good records during January in spite of the severe weather. January is one of the most important months in the year from the standpoint of egg production, as eggs are high and hard to get.

It is interesting to note that the five highest pens for the month are scattered through the different sized breeds, from the Leghorns to the Orpingtons. It is also interesting to note that they came from latitudes north of Mountain Grove.

The highest pens for January are:

56, S. C. Reds, Iowa	124
49, white Wyandottes, Michigan	102
75, white Plymouth Rocks, Washington	101
98, buff Leghorns, Michigan	99
82, black Orpingtons, Indiana	97

One point of interest with pen 49 is the even race between the five hens in the pen, their records being as follows: 48, 48, 48, 41, 50 eggs, respectively. These are the records to date:

The highest hens for the three months to date follow:

754, white Plymouth Rock, Washington	70
753, white Plymouth Rock, Washington	66
592, R. C. Red, Missouri	66
1024, Oregon, Oregon	63
65, S. C. white Leghorn, New Jersey	65
566, R. C. Red, Missouri	64
1022, Oregon, Oregon	64
253, S. C. white Leghorn, Washington	63
594, R. C. Red, Missouri	63
703, barred Rock, Missouri	63
822 black Orpington, Indiana	63
823 black Orpington, Indiana	63

The highest pens to date are:

59, R. C. Reds, Missouri	304
75, white Plymouth Rock, Washington	273
82, black Orpingtons, Indiana	257
102, Oregons, Oregon	264
49, white Wyandottes, Michigan	246
50, white Wyandottes, Missouri	243
69, barred Plymouth Rocks, Missouri	241
17, S. C. white Leghorns, Texas	234
11, S. C. white Leghorns, Kansas	230
25, S. C. white Leghorns, Washington	229

The total number of eggs produced for the month was 5375.

Prof. Heller Returns to University.

Prof. Otto Heller of the department of German at Washington University, who has been resting in New Orleans after an attack of pneumonia, has returned and has taken up his work at the university

Preventive and Cure for Frosted Combs

Frosted combs are a sure check to laying and it is well to take some precautions at this time of year to prevent them. Very often a house with a curtain front, or even one that is fully enclosed, will not protect the birds on a very cold night. For such nights it is a good plan to have a second curtain, to be dropped from the ceiling immediately in front of the roosts. The birds themselves give off considerable body heat, and the dropping of this curatin cuts off that much space from the interior of the house which the birds must keep warm.

Should a bird's comb or wattles be frostbitten it should receive attention the next morning. Treatment is essentially the same as in the case of frostbite on ears, nose, fingers, etc., of humans. The frosted part should be rubbed with snow or bathed in ice water until the frost is out, then apply carbolized vaseline and rub it in carefully.

Officers Are Elected by Pigeon Fanciers

The St. Louis Pigeon Fanciers, in meeting at the residence of William Westhus, elected these officers for the ensuing year: William Westhus, president; Joseph J. Rights, vice president; Henry Lueckens, secretary; Joseph Moder, treasurer; directors: Al Swanter, J. J. Sueme, Joseph Schroer, Simon Schuster, Gus Grote, H. Plegge. Applications for membership were received from six persons, and reports showed that interest in the pigeon in St. Louis is growing rapidly.

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By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The Evening Post, in its weekly financial review today, says:

"When a great speculation for the rise in which the public at large had been engaged has reached its usual termination—which means, when confidence has been succeeded by doubt—absolute mania by misgiving, and paper profits by forced liquidation—there is always a stretch of time when no one is left on the field but the professional traders. During the period which follows, they engage in a series of cautious experiments on their own account—all designed to discover the line of least resistance in prices and, if possible, tempt the 'outside public' back.

"All this being so, it is not without interest that the week just ended has been made up of pretended outbursts of speculative enthusiasm in the industrial shares. The fact that these stocks are participating in a speculative rise after the fashion of last autumn, is the necessary stock in trade.

Industrials Are Strong.

"The industrial shares were also apparently favored by the announcement of 'deals.' Long experience has taught Wall street that while increased earnings or increased dividends count for much with the outside public, the idea that one corporation is about to be bought up by another for more than its market value is the real attraction.

"Now there had been an undoubted 'deal,' and no one could prove that the industrial field was not full of other Midvales planning to buy up the shares of other Bethlehems. In short, the notion that 1916 might be another 1901, has appealed to professional Wall street as the strongest card to lay before the outsiders.

"Nobody can safely predict the future of the extraordinary existing situation; most predictions that have been made have turned out wrong. It is conceivable that we may yet pass through an orgie of promotion, combination, and speculation, like that of 15 years ago. But there are several qualifying considerations. The law's repeated warnings against such performances as these of 1899 and 1901 has come to be a very different matter from what it was in the spring of the days of the Keenes, and the Rock Island crowds. Court proceedings in those days served chiefly to hold up the exploiters to the admiring view of the public; there was no such shifting and scuttling and Old Bailey evasions as one sees today, even in the Interborough investigation.

The Market of the Future.

"There is none of the illusion which then seized the great prosperity and speculators themselves, and really persuaded them that a new order of financial principles and opportunity had been established, and that nothing could stop a boom launched with sufficient command of bank resources. Today, the most wearisome speculators and speculative leaders are the most emphatic in describing what a disaster European peace would be to American industry. What may be quite as important as these other considerations, even Wall Street learned something from the sequel of 1901. Still, we have now more or less of a new generation, even in speculative Wall Street, and the speculative outside public.

"The times are strange, the stimulus to imagination unusually strong, and we shall see what we shall see.

"Apparently it will remain a point of dispute among people whose business it is to explain these customers why a stock market does not resume its recent enthusiastic advance, and that the question of this country's relations with belligerent Europe still remains.

"The force of this argument may have been somewhat blunted by the fact that it was equally plausible at the time when last year's bull movement was vigorously under way. But it is often a question whether the stock market is reflecting comprehensive public sentiment on such matters, or the public sentiment reflected by the stock market. An outside situation, which seems negligible to Wall street when prices are rising on the Stock Exchange, will often be considered alarming when the market has ceased to rise.

Stock Trading Is Quiet.

"It can hardly be said that the Stock Exchange has this week expressed alarm over the attitude of Germany. It did not give way when the cables reported, early in the week, the extraordinary talk from the Berlin Foreign Office, regarding the limits beyond which even friendship stops, and the humiliation to which Germany would be subjected by insistent pressure of our demands for humane practices on the sea.

"It did not decline even on the announcement, at the end of the week, that the German navy, under conditions arranged by itself, proposed to resume the torpedoing and sinking of passenger ships and their passengers without warning. Perhaps this attitude of the market meant that it did not take the German Government's announcement altogether seriously. Perhaps it was felt that the evident wish of Germany to come to terms with the United States was an offsetting consideration.

"All this is a question which the Stock Exchange, as well as the State Department and the people at large, will have to consider practically next week. The absence of definite expression of judgment by the financial market may be similar in its cause to the absence of any immediate outburst of hostile public comment in America. Both, however, will be influenced to considerable purpose by the resultant attitude of our own public authorities and by the action of the German submarines.

"Prices closed the week sharply higher, with top quotations recorded on Thursday and Friday. The Exchange was closed yesterday over the Lincoln's birthday holiday."

LONDON THINKS GERMANY UNDER FINANCIAL STRAIN

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—London awaits with interest your attitude on the German Government's new declaration of purposes regarding submarine warfare. There is a very strong feeling in the city that your people must appreciate the contrast between Germany's efforts to foment trouble between America and England, and England's policy of leaving her case to be judged on its own merits.

The financial aspects of the war grow increasingly interesting. From London's viewpoint, this is largely so because of what we consider the numerous indications of a strain on Germany. For one thing, the plan of Berlin to regulate exchange rates is apparently unsuccessful. The nearby neutral countries are showing open dislike of the scheme.

So far as regards our own plan to control exchange, it should be clearly understood that the bankers' committee has quite extraordinary resources, the full nature of which I am unable to divulge. It is not a bad point in the situation that the Government now encourages conservatism rather than underestimating the importance of adjusting the burden of external war finance.

American Stocks Sold.

It is believed at present that all American securities acquired under the "mobilization" plan will be sold, not used as collateral on a loan. At any rate, such a loan would be an expedient very far ahead, because the treasury has definitely postponed that portion of the general scheme which permits the English public to lend American securities to the Government, as distinguished from selling.

In analyzing the £156,000,000 sterling increase in total gold holdings of the central banks of belligerent European states, it is noted that £32,500,000 sterling of the increase in the Bank of England is "earmarked" as reserve for the treasury notes. Whether Germany's returns include Austrian gold is a point of dispute.

The controversy between Sir Edward Holden and Dr. Helfferich has been unedifying, except for Helfferich's emphatic assertion that every ounce of gold reported in the Reichsbank's statement is actually held.

This is accepted here subject to certain qualifications.

Germany Exports Gold.

Two undoubted facts are that Germany has been compelled to export large sums of gold to neighboring neutral countries, and to make very large advances to Austria, to enable that country to meet coupon payments abroad, and pay for goods obtained in Germany. Aside from the question of Austrian gold, it is believed here that a separate and hidden account of gold is kept, out of which export demands are met, thus leaving the Reichsbank figures unaffected.

Russian and French exchanges are likely to improve. Russia has adopted excellent arrangements for internal taxation, and both that country and France are adopting England's plan of taxing excess profits on war materials.

Banks Show Loss of $1,582,920 in Surplus Reserve.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The statement of the actual conditions of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week (five-day) shows that they hold $163,822,950 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $1,582,920 from last week. The statement follows: Actual condition: Loans, etc., $6,327,547,000, increased $29,003,000; reserve in own vaults, of which $451,147,000 is specie, $927,094,000, increase $6,015,000; reserve in reserve banks, $117,-059,000, decrease $2,988,000; reserve in other depositaries $58,571,000, increase $1,071,000. Net demand in deposits $5,413,571,000, increase $35,396,000; net time deposits $193,-170,000 decrease $5,615,000; circulation $54,-062,000, increase $29,000. Aggregate reserve, $756,724,000; excess reserve $168,822,950, decrease $1,582,920.

Summary of State banks and trust companies in Greater New York not included in clearing house statement: Loans, etc., $1,-909,200, increase $3,101,800; specie $35,624,-700, increase $55,100; legal tenders $1,517,200, increase $172,900; total deposits $880,361,400, decrease $4,488,200. Banks' cash reserve in vault, $11,464,100. Trust companies' cash reserve in vault, $53,677,800.

Exchanges Closed.

Owing to the markets being closed yesterday, over the Lincoln's birthday holiday, Friday's closing quotations are used for compiling the weekly comparison of tables on this page. Business on the various exchanges will be resumed at the usual hours on Monday.

NEW YORK CURB CLOSE.

Reported daily by Stifel, Nicolaus, Parson Inv. Co., 207 N. Broadway.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

Oils—Anglo 16@16¼, Atlantic Reg. 690@690, Borne Scrymser 270@285, Buckeye 108@110, Chesebro 730@740, Colonial 175@185, Continental Oil 270@275, Crescent 44@47, Cumberland 80@85, Eureka 235@245, Galena com. 10@15, do pfd. 85@87, Illinois Pipe 157@188, Indiana 260@265, Indiana Pipe 100@105, Maple Leaf 310@320, Midwest Refg. 190@200, Mountain Producers 310@320, N. Y. Trans. 200@205, Northern Pipe 104@106, Ohio Oil 240@242, Pierce Oil 14¾@15, Prairie Oil 490@495, Prairie Pipe 292@294, Solar Refg. 290@300, Southern Pipe 217@220, South Penn Oil 360@373, Southwest Pipe 112@118, S. O. Cal. 371@374, do Ind. 509@512, do Kan. 445@455, do Ky. 355@360, do Neb. 385@370, do Tex. 530@535, do N. Y. 215@218, do Ohio 550@560, Swan and Finch 125@130, Union Tank 84@88, Vacuum 217@222, Wash. Oil 100@54.

Mining and Industrials—Butte Copper and Zinc 8¼@8¾, Butte and N. 8¼@8¾, Beat 87¼@88, Cumb. Coal 2¼@2¾, Chandler Motor 92@93, Cramps 74@80, Canada Copper ¼@15-16, Canadian Car & Fdy. com. 70@75, do pfd. 124@127, Car Fdy. pfd. 88@95, Chevrolet Motors 130@132, Davison Chemical 67@70, Emerson Phono 12¾@13¾, Houston Oil com. 21½@22½, do pfd. 60@70, Howe Sound 7¼@7¾, Intl. Motors com. 22@26, do pfd. 35@40, Jumbo 1¼@1-32, Kennecott Copper 54¼@54¾, Lake Copper 22@23, Kerr Lake 4¾@4¼, Kelly-Springfield w. i. 71¼@72, Marine com. 16@16¾, do pfd. 74@77, Midvale Steel 60¼@63, Midwest Refg. 200@202, Martin A. com. 31@33, do pfd. 79@82, Nipissing 7¼@7¾, Profit Sharing 11¼@11¾, Riker 54½@56, Standard Motor Const. 1@1¼, Sapulpa Refg. 14¾@15, St. Joe Lead 18½@18¾, Submarine Motors 9¾@10, Sterling Gum 1¼@2, Saxon Motors 70@71¼, Triangle Film 58½, Tobacco Products com. 35@35¾, Torpedo 11@12, Ventura Oil 96@9¾, Yukon 2¾@2¾.

BOSTON STOCKS CLOSE.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co. 307 North Fourth street.

BOSTON, Feb. 11.

	Bid.	Asked
American Zinc	74¾	74⅞
Butte & Superior	88¾	89
Calumet & Hecla	579	580
Copper Range	65⅝	66
East Butte	15	16¼
Granby	97½	97¾
Greene Cananea	48¾	49
Mohawk	94	94¼
North Butte	31⅝	32
Shattuck Ariz.	33¾	34¼
United Fruit	149¼	150
United Shoe Machinery	56	56¼

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Copper firm; electrolytic nearby, 27.50@28.50c; June nominal, 26.50@27.25c. Iron steady and unchanged. Metal Exchange quotes tin quiet; spot, $41.50 bid.

At London, spot copper, £108 10s.; futures, £108 15s.; electrolytic, £134. Spot tin, £180; futures, £179 15s. Antimony, £125.

New York Lead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The Metal Exchange has a lead of $6.15@6.30; spelter not quoted. At London, lead £22 2s 6d. Spelter, £93.

St. Louis Lead Market.

Lead was strong at $6.15 bid, but $6.17½ asked. Spelter strong at $19.50 for spot.

*Ex-dividend during the week.

Total sales for the week, 2,901,100 shares.

COTTON FUTURES ERRATIC IN THE EASTERN TRADE

Prices Show Mixed Changes on the Week; Spot Values Are Firm.

Cotton futures last week were erratic. There was less steadiness, but a good deal more activity in the markets, prices fluctuating on rumors of one kind and another, chiefly political.

The export situation seems to hang on the involved relations between this Government and both belligerents, because of the submarine warfare on merchant vessels, and because of the arming of those vessels. Freight rates were said at one time to have weakened somewhat; but that was merely rumor and shippers say there was no real lowering of rates, and that freights are as stiff as ever. Insurance rates, however, were again raised, because of the activity of German raiders.

Whatever the outcome of negotiations with the foreigners, the cotton interests in this country will be better satisfied if matters are settled before planting time. It is a fact already recognized, and discounted in prices apparently, that the exports this season must be small, and a total for the season of 5,500,000 would fully meet expectations. With the United States mills taking 7,000,000 bales, the carry-over will be about 750,000 bales less than last season. A reduction in acreage next season will act as a further corrective of the oversupply, and the ruling prices of today look to that action by the farmers.

Exports, which are principally to Great Britain, seem to be on the scale which measures the needs of Great Britain and her allies, leaving the producers and middlemen in this country to carry the load of supply. So far holders of cotton in this country, supported by the bankers with liberal supplies of cheap money, have been able to feed out the cotton only as it was called for by buyers having a satisfactory price to offer. This system of marketing to meet the threatened demand can be continued only if the crop of next season is such as not to augment the present supply.

Money Is Plentiful.

While money is plentiful now, it follows that with a wake of general activity in all lines of work, interest rates will advance, and the demand for money will make it more difficult for farmers to borrow. They must, therefore, begin to adjust themselves to the conditions and not rely too much on the diplomacy of the Government to bring about a satisfactory marine situation, with its benefits in the way of free movement of cotton. Nothing could stimulate European buying like the belief that the supply of cotton in this country will materially decrease within the year.

American mills are prosperous. Their business has grown, and their order books are full, and new buyers are moved to the terms offered by manufacturers. Voluntarily wage increases have been the order of the day, and many mills have good, big stocks of raw material with which to meet the demand for goods.

Naturally, with the slackened export movement, American spinners have been fastidious buyers. But they will buy when the cotton and the price suits them. Of late, shippers report their inability to get cotton. The situation has existed but a short time, and apparently indicates a halting on the part of spinners while they readjust their machinery to the higher prices may do, there is nothing in the situation to lead to the belief that American mills will cease their present activity.

The report of the consumption of cotton during January will be issued on Monday, and is expected to be bullish. Conditions of supply and demand, however, are well-known by all the trade and fluctuations on such reports are unlikely.

Spots Are Fairly Firm.

In the principal spot markets prices have changed but little during the week; a slight hardening was noticeable and quotations were advanced a fraction in some cases. In the ones and in interior towns the stocks are about as they were at the same time last season; port stocks are some 200,000 bales less.

The movement follows the demand, and so far there has been no pressure to sell; in fact, holders seem stubborn in their resistance to any offers of low prices, and stand confident that they will realize much higher prices before the season comes to a close.

The total visible for the week were 199,920 bales; for the season ending Friday night, 3,126,436 bales. This is the second best week for the season, and of this total 137,000 bales went to Great Britain and 37,000 to France, and some 17,000 bales to other European countries. China and Japan got 10,000 bales, a little more than they have been accustomed to of late.

Sales have been small in the spot markets and quotations for middling are as follows: Galveston, steady, 12c; New Orleans, steady, 11.62c; Mobile, steady, 11.38c; Savannah, firm, 11¾c; Charleston, steady, 11¾c; Norfolk, steady, 11.88c; Wilmington, nominal, 11¾c; Houston, steady, 12¼c; Augusta, steady, 11.75c; Memphis, steady, 12c; St. Louis, steady, 12¼c.

NEW YORK FUTURE CLOSE.

	Close. Thursday.	High. Friday.	Low. Friday.	Close Friday.
Jan	12.60@61	12.62	12.50	12.53@55
Feb	11.94b			11.82b
March	12.12@06	12.04	11.92	11.92@93
April	12.15b			12.02b
May	12.24@25	12.25	12.15	12.14@15
June	12.12			12.22b
July	12.39@40	12.41	12.30	12.31@32
Aug	12.44@48	12.48	12.43	12.37@39
Sept	12.40@42			12.38@39
Oct	12.43@44	12.44	12.36	12.36@37
Nov	12.48b			12.41b
Dec	12.55@56	12.57	12.50	12.48@49

St. Louis—Tone of market steady and unchanged. Sales, 73 bales. Good ordinary, 11.63c; low middling, 12¼c; middling, 12¾c; good middling, 12¾c; middling fair, 13¾c. Tinges, ¼c to ⅛c off from white.

NEW YORK BOND SALES

1,000 Kan. C. Sou. 5s	at 93½
4,000 Ky. C. O. 4s	at 90
1,000 C. B. & Q. 4s	at 90
1,000 St. Paul 4s	at 94⅜
3,000 Sou. Pac. Ed. 4s	at 90⅜
6,000 N. Y. City Ry. 5s	at 68¾
3,000 N. Y. City Ry. 4s	at 48½
10,000 Iowa Central 4s	at 58¾
2,000 Chile 7s	at 130¾
5,000 Sou. Ry. 4s	at 72
10,000 N. Y. City 4½s, 1960	at 102¼
8,000 Iowa Central 4s	at 58¾
10,000 Ark. & L. 5s	at 84½
4,000 Central Leather 5s	at 102¼
1,000 E. & A. 4s	at 92
10,000 Nor. Pac. 4s	at 94
8,000 Reading 4s	at 95½
2,000 Reading 4s c. s. 4s	at 95½
4,000 N. Y. City 4½s, 1965	at 102½
1,000 Penn g. n. ctf. 4½s	at 102¾
10,000 N. Y. Cen. 4½s	at 95
1,000 Marine ctfs. 4½s	at 90
1,000 Ry. 1st 4s	at 68
3,000 Rep. Steel 8s	at 99¾
4,000 C. C. & St. L. 4½s	at 98½
1,000 C. B. & Q. 4s	at 90
15,000 Iowa Central 4s	at 58¾
1,000 N. Y. Cen. 3½s	at 79½
1,000 N. Y. City 4½s, 1960	at 102
5,000 Iowa Central 4s	at 58¾
10,000 Atch. gen. 4s	at 96½
8,000 So. Pac. cv. 5s	at 105¾
1,000 N. Y. Cen. deb. 6s	at 111½
1,000 N. Y. Cen. 4½s	at 95¾
10,000 Jersey Cen. 4s	at 79½
3,000 Atlantic Coast 4s	at 89¾
4,000 N. Y. Tel. 4½s	at 99½
2,000 Ry. Steel Sp. 1st 8s	at 99¾
2,000 N. Y. Cen. 3½s	at 80¾
2,000 N. Y. Steel 5s	at 95
2,000 C. C. & Haven 5s	at 98½
8,000 Chicago W. M. 4s	at 113
10,000 Mo. Pac. 5s, 1920	at 88¼
1,000 N. & O. cv. 4½s	at 97¾
2,000 Lk. Steel 5s, 1925	at 90¾
10,000 E. & O. cv. 4½s	at 94¾
6,000 Armour 4½s	at 94½

50-CENT DROP IS FEATURE IN THE CATTLE MARKET

Week's Receipts Are Moderate, but Sellers Ask Concessions; Hogs Are Steady.

RECEIPTS AT NATIONAL STOCKYARDS.

	Last Week.	Prev. Week.	Year. Ago.
Cattle	16,355	11,048	18,340
Hogs	82,542	67,509	90,387
Sheep	1,845	9,262	5,521
H. and M.	3,370	4,757	7,534

Last week's local receipts of cattle were moderate, totaling less than 17,000 head. This, however, was considerably larger than the preceding week's run. Other western markets had fairly generous supplies of cattle and buyers were in control of the market. Prices on all classes of killing cattle were lower. The decline was continuous from Monday, and the steer trade showed an average loss of 50c per cwt for the week or 75c under the high price last week. Last week the St. Louis market was out of line with all other centers, owing to slim receipts. For this reason our market has suffered a heavier decline this week than some of the other markets.

Quality of the steer offering was about an average, with strictly prime finished cattle missing. Top steers sold up to $8.35, with the bulk of the offering going at $6.75@7.75. Medium finished and warmed-up cattle comprised the offering. Corn is now so high that cattle feeders are unable to make their beef prime and come out whole on the deal. The margin between fat cattle and canners is too small to admit of any profit from a long feed. This fact accounts for the large proportion of half fat to medium finished steers this present season and the almost absolute absence of long fed prime cattle.

Kansas Cattle Here.

There was a good showing of Kansas cattle here the current week, and these sold largely at $7.25@8 with the tops making $8.35. A few droves of Oklahoma steers sold at 7 to $8. The first Colorado beeves here this year arrived this week. They brought $8, a fair price for pulp-fed cattle.

The packers claim the warm weather of late has cut down the demand for beef in the East, and give this as the reason for the declines in the market for fat cattle.

Butcher cattle offerings this week were fair in volume, and only an average in point of quality. Heifers show a loss of 50c to 75c per cwt. from the previous week. Best finished heifers sold at $7.75 to $8.25.

Cow market was 25c to 35c lower this week. Canners and cutters declined 15c to 25c. Bulk of the butcher cows moved at $5.50 to $6.75. Bulls dropped 10c to 15c for the week.

Hog Prices Are Steady.

A liberal supply of hogs was received; in fact it was one of the largest weeks in the history of the market. There was a right fair number of good quality hogs of medium and heavy weight received, but still the number of pigs and lights was liberal.

The top at the opening of the week was $8.25, but reached $8.50 later, while the bulk of the hogs for the week sold at $8@8.35. Towards the close of the week all desirable hogs were bringing $8 and more, while the rough packers sold at $7.50@7.75, best grade of lights $7.75@8.20, fair $7.25@7.65, best pigs $7.75@8.10, and others from $5.50@7.50, according to quality.

Receipts of sheep continue to be quite small, and as a result the market during the past week was active with values on a shade higher basis than the previous week, and lambs sold on the highest ground known this market. Fat sheep and yearlings were also extra good sale all week. Buyers would gladly have purchased several times the number offered, as all of them have a lot of orders for dressed sheep and lambs that they are unable to fill.

The offerings were practically all Westerns. A good many lambs were received direct from Colorado, and these were quite a few weeks ago offered that were fed in Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska. Good fat lambs found ready sale at $11@11.25, medium grades went at $10@10.85 and the thin kinds at $8.50@9.75. Some clipped lambs brought $9.60.

Yearlings were ready sale at $9.25@9.75, while mutton sheep that were good went at $7.50, and the fair offerings at $7@7.25. A good big string of Western sheep sold at $7.50. Choppers, canners and stockers were scarce, but those offered brought good prices. Bucks as a rule sold at $6.50.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
		PORK.		
May	$20.55	$20.72	$20.40	$20.65b
July	20.52	20.75	20.52	20.75a
		LARD.		
May	10.32-37	10.47	10.25	10.37
July	10.47	10.60	10.42	10.55a
		RIBS.		
May	11.32-50	11.52	11.25-27	11.45b
July	11.50-47	11.70	11.47	11.60

Flour, Meal and Bran, St. Louis.

RYE FLOUR—Quote car lots, pure white, at $5.75 and dark at $5.50 in jute; jobbing at $5.10 for white and $5.00 for dark; in wood, 25c higher.

YELLOW MEAL—Cornmeal, $3.25 f. o. b. grits, hominy and pearl meal, $3.55.

BRAN—$1.02@1.07 per 100 pounds; middling, $1.20@1.40; hominy feed, $26 for white per ton. Bran and middling are city trade from mills.

FLOUR—New soft: Patent, $5.85@6.10; straight, $5.60@5.70; extra fancy $5.15@5.30; low grades, $3.75@4.25; hard patents $5.80@6.00; straight, $5.60@5.70; clear, $5.70@4.25; spring patents, $6.25@6.40.

Receipts, 12,000; shipments, 17,000; primary market receipts, 58,000; primary shipments, 134,000.

NEW YORK COFFEE CLOSE

Reported by I. M. Simon & Co., 315 North Fourth street.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

MONTHS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	7.85	7.89	7.84	7.87
May	7.92	7.97	7.92	7.96
July	8.00	8.00	7.90	7.90
Sept.	8.07	8.08	8.02	8.02

Sales, 62,750. Steady.

Egg Market.

EGGS—Prices reacted sharply here yesterday, sales being made at an advance of full 1¾c over figures obtainable Friday with the market closing firm at 22¼c. Receipts smaller than for some days back, and with snow predicted, demand became right active and sales free—bulk of the stock going to local shipper. Quote: Fresh firsts at 22¼c, cases returned ½c less. Held, stale, mixed etc., dull and discounted according to quality.

BUTTER—Prices were notably unchanged, but market very firm all through, desirable goods being particularly scarce and in demand. Quote: Creamery—extras at 31¼c; firsts at 27@27½c, seconds at 24@25c, and ladle-packed 21½c. Packing stock 17½—cheesy, 14½c.

MAY WHEAT IS 5 CENTS LOWER ON WEEK'S TRADE

Liquidation and Short Selling Are Factors in the Decline—Corn and Oats Are Fairly Firm.

FRIDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.

Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 11.

MAY WHEAT.

	Opening	High.	Low	Close	Close Thursday.	Close Last Year.
St. Louis	124⅝@⅞	124½@⅝b	123¾	123⅝@¾	123¼@¼a	Holiday
Chicago	130@128⅝	130	127¼	128@⅛	128@⅜	
Kansas City	119@⅞	119⅝	118@¼	118¼b	118¼@⅜b	
Minneapolis	127@⅞	127⅞	126½	126⅝@⅞	126¾@¼a	
Toledo	135⅝	135⅝	134	134½	134½	

JULY WHEAT.

St. Louis	118⅝	118¼b	117⅜	118b	117⅝a	
Chicago	122¼@121¾	122¼	120⅝	120¾	120¾a	
Kansas City	115⅞@⅜	115⅞	114@⅜	114⅝a	114⅞	
Minneapolis	126⅝@⅞	126⅞	124⅝	125	124⅝b	
Toledo	126½	126½	125	125½	125	

MAY CORN.

St. Louis	76⅝@¾	76¾	75⅝	75⅝@¾a	75⅝	
Chicago	78½@¾	78⅝@⅞	77⅜	77⅝@¾b	77⅜@⅝a	
Kansas City	73⅛@74	74	72¾@⅞	72⅝a	⅞@76a	

JULY CORN.

St. Louis	76⅜	76⅝	75⅝@¾a	75⅝@¾a	⅞@76a	
Chicago	78⅝@⅞	78⅞	77⅜	77⅝@¾a	77⅝@⅞a	
Kansas City	74½	74½	73¼@⅝	73¼a	73⅝	

MAY OATS.

St. Louis	47⅛	47⅛	46⅜@⅝a	46⅜@⅝a	46⅜@⅝b	
Chicago	49⅝@49	49½	48⅛	48½@⅝b	48⅝@⅞	

JULY OATS.

Chicago	46⅜@⅝	46½@⅝	45⅝	45⅝	46	

Liquidation of long wheat and selling for short account featured trade on the Merchants' Exchange last week. The May option closed at $1.23⅝@1.23½, compared with $1.28⅛ the preceding Saturday. July wheat finished at $1.18, against $1.21½@1.21⅝. Low prices of the week were made Thursday, when a severe selling wave swept the market. The closing session showed considerable irregularity, with sentiment badly mixed over the outlook.

At the moment the market has worked into a position where it is a two-sided affair. Ten days ago prices were nearly 10 cents higher and sentiment generally believed in higher quotations. Now many of the leading bulls have been worsted, and are not inclined to support the buying side, owing to expectations of increased receipts of spring wheat, and the continued uncertainty surrounding the foreign diplomatic situation.

While export shipments of wheat and flour last week were close to a record at 11,480,000 bu, nevertheless stocks in domestic primary markets are excessive as compared with a year ago, and there is no doubt, but that the movement to market in the spring wheat belt and in Canada has been materially interfered with by low temperatures and excessive snowfall.

Visible stocks of wheat in this country now are some 10,000,000 bu, in excess of last year, and the movement of winter wheat is increasing. Should spring wheat come to market more freely as expected, there is every reason to believe that the visible supply will continue well above last year's, and that the supply of wheat on the farms on the end of the crop will be the heaviest on record.

Shippers Make Money.

A year ago on the advance in prices, farmers reaped the benefits of the war market. Now the shippers are getting the cream for wheat in Liverpool is selling at almost record values, and the shippers are cashing in most unduly by the excessive freight rates, which are almost prohibitary, excepting with the United States.

Those forcing wheat buyers to American markets, but is shutting off Argentine and Australian offers, but sooner or later the crops of these two countries, which are much in excess of last year, must figure in the equation of supply and demand, and when that time comes, as it must in the spring, many farmers expect a repetition of last year's decline, which amounted to almost 30 cents a bushel in May. Last June and July added some 20 cents more to the decline, as the crop and supplies were much lighter then than now, both domestic and foreign.

Weather over the winter wheat belt continues cold, and the crop in Kansas and sections of the Southwest has been blanketed under heavy ice. Reports indicate winter-killing in some sections of the belt, but taken as a whole there is reason to believe the crop generally is favorable.

Traders remember the winter scare of a few years ago, when the May option in Chicago mounted from below $1 to above $1.19 in March, on the Government announcement of over 6,000,000 acres abandoned, owing to winter killing. That year the country had unusually heavy snowfall and extremely low temperatures, and it was not until spring that the damage was estimated. Given then under favorable spring weather, much of the reported lost acreage raised a good crop of wheat, and the May option lost all its advance and more too, on liquidation which lasted until the fall.

With a smaller acreage sown to winter wheat this year, there is certain to be many scares on the next crop, but it goes without saying that they will be most apt to occur for speculative purposes, how much so only the future can tell.

Corn Market Is Firm.

Corn futures reflected strength considering the recent wide decline in wheat, and prices are only a few cents off the recent top level. Broomhall reports a scarcity of corn in Europe, and values in Liverpool are ruling at the highest level in years. Argentine shipments are proving disappointing, as is the movement of the domestic crop to market. There is every reason to believe, however, that the spring will bring the largest run of corn to primary markets seen in years, unless the Government crop reports placing the yield at 3,000,000,000 bu is the most outside estimate ever issued by the Department of Agriculture.

Oats reflected considerable firmness in sympathy with corn, on light arrivals for this season of the year.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

Cash wheat was dull and unchanged.

Corn steady to ¼@1c higher; demand good for mixed and yellow; white dull.

Quote No. 2 red wheat, $1.31@1.35; No. 3 red, $1.22@1.29; No. 4 red, $1.04@1.18; No. 3 hard, $1.21@1.24; No. 4 hard, $1.12@1.15.

Quote No. 2 corn, 76¼c; No. 3 corn, 73@73½c; No. 4 corn, 70@71c; No. 5 corn, 66c; No. 6 corn, 64@65c; No. 7 yellow corn, 75½@76c; No. 4 yellow corn, 72@73c; No. 5 yellow corn, 70c; No. 6 yellow corn, 64@65c; No. 2 white corn, 76¼c nominal; No. 3 white corn, 73@73½c nominal; No. 4 white corn, 70c; No. 5 white corn, 66¼c.

Quote No. 2 white oats, 50c; No. 4 white oats, 47@48c; No. 5 oats, 46@49½c; No. 6 oats, 45½c; No. 2 rye, $1.02; nominal; No. 3 rye, 97c nominal.

Winnipeg Wheat Is Slightly Higher.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—Wheat futures were quoted ¼c to ⅜c higher early today. Trade was dull. The May option sold at $1.27¾, compared with $1.27, the close yesterday. May closed at $1.27⅝. No future to market, except moderate export buying.

Bradstreet's Exports.

	Wheat	Corn.
This week	11,480,000	1,961,000
Last week	10,568,000	672,000
Last year	4,708,000	2,027,000
Two years ago	4,909,000	65,000

Shipments July 1 to date, 263,851,000 bu, against 263,618,000 last year.

Shipments corn, Jan. 1 to date, 11,567,000 bu, against 14,217,000 last year.

BREWERY BONDS FEATURE WEEK'S LOCAL TRADING

Independent Brewery stock featured trading on the local Stock Exchange at Friday's session. Sales were recorded at $9.25 and $9.50 between sessions, up to $10.50. On the Exchange transfers were made at $11. The stock closed with $11.12½ bid and $11.50 asked. Yesterday's transfers were at $9.25. The bonds of the company, which yesterday advanced $5 to $55, sold at $54.87½.

The demand for miscellaneous shares was more active than in some days, and Wagner Electric, Chicago Railways Equipment and several other issues changed hands at firm prices. The bank and trust list of stocks was firm on the issues mentioned and Bonds reflected a fair investment demand at steady prices.

Granite-Bimetallic Mining stock was firm on transfers at 62½@c to 65c. Other mining stocks quoted were steady.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Boatmen's Bank	147	150
Bonhomme Lacledes Nat.	100	200
Nat. Bank of Commerce	100	100¼
Mississippi Valley Trust	295	300
Montgomery Trust	135	
Mortgage Guarantee	133	
United States Railways com.	⅞	⅞
do pfd	19¼	
do 4s	63	
E. St. L. & Sub. com.	10	
do 5s	90¼	
Alton, G. & St. L. 5s	32	
Am. Cotton Tel. 5s ($1000)	91½	91¾
do 5s ($500)	91½	
do 5s ($100)	91½	92¼
K. C. Belt Ry. Tel. 5s	97	
Missouri Edison 5s	100¼	
Union Sand and Material	73	78
Int. Shoe com.	92½	94
do pfd.		111
General Roofing pfd.	102	
Central Coal & Coke com.	73	
Granite-Bimetallic	63¾c	65c
Hamilton-Brown	101	
Ind. Brew. 1st pfd.	11½	11½
do 2d	10½	10¾
National Candy 2d pfd.	80	90
Chicago Ry. Equipment	35	
Wagner Electric	201¼	202½

SALES BETWEEN SESSIONS.

100 Wagner Electric, 201.
10 Wagner Electric, 200¾.
15 Ind. Brewing 1st pfd., 9½.
25 Ind. Brewing 1st pfd., 9¾.
10 Ind. Brewing 1st pfd., 9¾.
2 Ind. Brewing 1st pfd., 10½.
5 National Candy 2d pfd., 90.
25 United Railways pfd., 20½.
$200 K. C. Home Tel. 5s, 92½.
$1000 Mo. Edison 5s, 100½.
12 Chicago Ry. Equipment, 36.
6 Bank of Commerce, 168.

REGULAR SESSION.

20 Union Sand and Material, 72.
5 Union Sand and Material, 72½.
10 Bank of Commerce, 100½.
10 Bank of Commerce, 100½.
10 Bank of Commerce, 100¼.
$1000 United Railways 4s, 63.
100 Granite-Bimetallic, 62½c.
100 Granite-Bimetallic, 63¾c.
100 Granite-Bimetallic, 63¾c.
500 Granite-Bimetallic, 65c.
300 Granite-Bimetallic, 65c.
100

POST-DISPATCH'S REVIEW OF REAL ESTATE NEWS

BY BERRY MOORE

12-STORY BUILDING HANGS ON LEASE OF TWO SMALL LOTS

Failure of Negotiations Will Mean Four-Story Structure for Kresge Home at Sixth Street and Washington Avenue, His Agent Says.

B. NUGENT & BRO. PLAN NEW HOME

Grand-Leader Expected to Replace Western End of Its Quarters With Steel Fireproof Building to Cost $300,000—Realty Conditions Strong.

Plans have been disclosed for the erection on downtown Washington Avenue corners of buildings which will set a high standard for the improvement of that conspicuous retail and wholesale thoroughfare.

The most noteworthy among these projects embrace the southeast corner of Sixth street and the southwest corner of Broadway, both of which are under 99-year leases to interests with ample resources to elaborately improve them.

It will be decided within the next week, it is said, whether a 12-story or a 4-story structure will be erected by the S. S. Kresge Co., which operates 5 and 10 cent stores in all the large cities, at the southeast corner of Sixth street and Washington avenue, according to Henry R. Weisels, vice president of the Weisels-Gerhart Real Estate Co., which is engineering both the building projects.

As was recently announced by the Post-Dispatch, the Kresge company has obtained, through the Weisels-Gerhart Co., 99-year leases of 44x159 feet embracing the southeast corner of Sixth and Washington avenue and the northeast corner of Sixth and St. Charles streets, the two having a frontage of 150 feet on Sixth street, 44x75 feet at 519 St. Charles street, and a strip extending 150 feet from Washington avenue to St. Charles street, with a frontage on the former of 23 feet and a frontage on the latter of 34 feet. The last mentioned strip, owned by Frank R. Nagel, is at 516 Washington avenue.

Lease of Strips Expected.

Contracts will be signed within a few days, it is expected, for 99-year leases of two strips, 27x75 feet each, at 518 and 520 Washington avenue, owned respectively by the Hart-Semple interest and by R. Scudder, and which lie between the Wolff-Wilson lot and the Nagel strip, both of which are included in Kresge's acquisitions. These strips, according to Weisels, would complete the site for the proposed 12-story building.

With the site assembled, erection of the larger structure would be contingent only upon the Weisel-Gerhart company's being able to find tenants for the upper nine floors, the first three to be occupied by Kresge.

Should negotiations for the Hart-Semple and the Scudder lots fail, a four-story U-shaped building will be erected.

All the buildings on the sites already acquired by Kresge are occupied.

The Kresge company has leases of the southwest corner of Broadway and Washington avenue and the northwest corner of Broadway and St. Charles streets. These leases will expire in four years, when the Frank Realty Co., of which Nathan Frank is president, and which controls them under a 99-year lease, plans to erect a building thereon, to cost $1,000,000.

The Kresge company, by its recent acquisitions, has virtually forestalled the plans for the expansion of the Woolworth store, which occupies 510-12 Washington avenue, at least until the expiration of the former's four-year lease of its present home.

Other Improvements in Prospect.

Ambitious plans are also said to be forming for the improvement of other sites in this section, including the northeast corner of Ninth street and Washington avenue, relative to which Henry R. Weisels said:

"A large hotel structure is projected for the site, the financial details of which are being worked out by a young banker, who is no novice in that line.

"Workmen have begun tearing down the five-story building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Washington avenue, which is to be replaced by the new Franklin Bank building.

"At the northwest corner of Fourth street and Washington avenue the Missouri Athletic Club building, considered one of the finest of its kind in the country, is nearing completion, representing a cost, exclusive of ground, of about $500,000.

"In the early future the B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co. will erect, for its own occupancy on its present site, a magnificent eight-story fireproof building covering the entire lot from Washington to St. Charles along Broadway. The building, with that of the Kennard Carpet Co. on the east end of the block at Fourth, will round out a most attractive vista of stately buildings on both sides of the street from Fourth to Broadway.

"At the northwest corner of Broadway and Washington avenue the Wolff Clothing Co. has completed arrangements for a renewal of its lease for a long term with plans for attractive alterations and improvements.

"For the northeast corner of Sixth street and Washington avenue we now have negotiations pending for a long-term lease with a prominent Eastern retail concern.

Grand-Leader Building Plan.

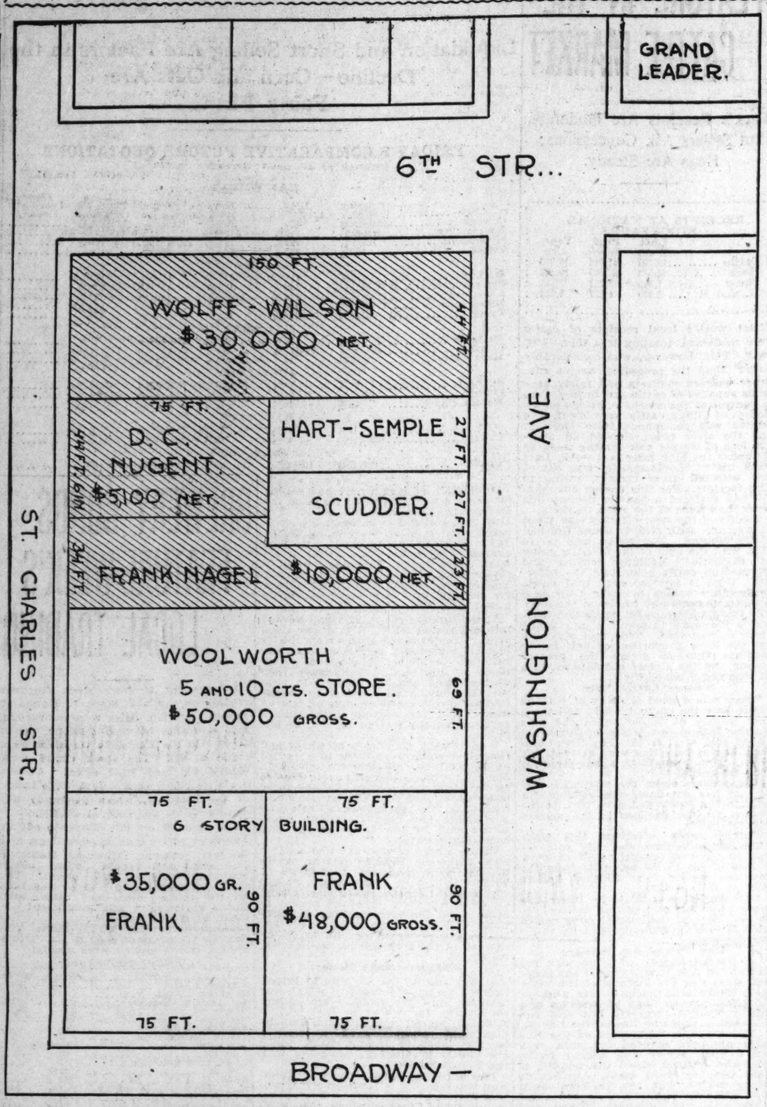
"At the northeast corner of Seventh street and Washington avenue, within the year, I have it from reliable authority, the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co., which occupies the entire block, will wreck the present slow combustion seven-story building which forms the western part of their department store and replace it with an eight-story steel fireproof building to conform with its building to the east, at a cost of more than $300,000.

"This merely illustrates the healthy condition of the city from the investors' point of view, and similar conditions will apply to many other thoroughfares in the downtown retail and wholesale, also residential and semi-business districts. A favorable aspect looms on the horizon for a strong uplift in realty conditions.

"All indications point to the biggest year in realty since 1903.

"There is a strong undercurrent of commercial and industrial activity. All important lines of trade are very busy and in some cases are much overtaxed. Large retail concerns, manufacturers and jobbers in other sections are contemplating establishing branches in St. Louis, and many of the established local firms are increasing their facilities. Within the past 60 days three of the largest concerns in the United States, in their respective fields, have purchased St. Louis real estate, buildings and 99-year leaseholds aggregating more than $1,000,000. Money is plentiful at 6 per cent."

Plat of Projected Home for 5 and 10-Cent Store at Sixth Street and Washington Avenue



TWO APARTMENT BUILDINGS SOLD, BRING $105,000

Kingston on Waterman Av., and the Maurine on Union Av. Change Hands.

E. L. Bakewell announces the sale of two high-class apartment buildings, the Kingston at 5567 Waterman avenue, and the Maurine at 727-729 Union avenue, the two transactions aggregating $105,000.

The Kingston was sold to persons whose identity has not been disclosed. The price paid was $40,000. This is the second sale of this building by Bakewell within the past month.

There are six apartments in the building, each of which contains six rooms, tile baths and porches, and all modern equipment. None of them ever has been vacant.

The sale was made on behalf of Charles Houtz.

MANY INQUIRIES ABOUT LOTS IN NORTH PARKVIEW ADDITION

Several Persons Seeking Sites for Apartment Buildings—Improvement Association Formed.

Hundreds of inquiries from prospective buyers of lots in North Parkview addition are reported by John S. Harris, appointed to close out the tract by special sale.

In several instances sites are bought for elaborate apartment buildings the addition being unrestricted and especially attractive, owing to its proximity to the Delmar-Olive line, for buildings of this nature.

Harris is most enthusiastic over the outlook for the quick sale of the property, which is owned by the Delmar Improvement Co.

An improvement association of the different owners in North Parkview similar to those of other high-class additions is being formed by Harris.

FRANK L. DITTMEIER REAL ESTATE CO.

Reports the sale of 2731 Shenandoah avenue, a two-story brick building containing seven rooms. Lot 25x125 feet. Sold for account of the Nicholas Martin Real Estate Co. to A. S. Locatel, who was represented by Albert Lipp. Price paid, $4000.

Sale of the three-story building, stone front, arranged as residence, formerly the home of Judge Shepard Barclay, at 3844 Delmar boulevard, to Frances E. and John J. Fitzpatrick. Property will be renovated and occupied by the owner. Consideration, $20000. Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick were represented by Max Weinberg of the Frank L. Dittmeier Real Estate Co.

Sale of 4143 Cleveland avenue, a flat of four and five rooms to each. Sold for the account of Bernard A. Fiedeler, to a client of this office, who will occupy part and rent the other as an investment. Price paid, $5500. Louis A. Bosso of this deal listed this flat Feb. 3, 1916, and found a purchaser the next day.

Sale of a modern cottage at 3812 Fairview avenue, containing hardwood floors, Dutch dining room, electric lights, combination fixtures. Sold for the account of Ida M. Lauck to a client, who will occupy as a home. Price paid, $8000.

Sale of 4419 Beesle avenue, one-story frame cottage containing four rooms. Sold for account of Joseph Slater and wife to a client, who purchased for a home. Price paid, $1900.

Sale of 50 feet of ground on the north side of Emma avenue by a depth northwardly of 135 feet, being west of Partridge avenue. Sold for account of the American Real Estate, Building and Investment Co. to Charles C. and Marstella Walters, who purchased for improvement. Price paid, $750.

Sale of 5711 Hickory street, a two-story brick building arranged for three families, containing 12 rooms, with all street and sidewalk improvements. Lot 25x145 feet. Sold for account of W. T. Harrison to Mrs. C. T. Gordon, who purchased for investment, price paid being $2200.

CHAS F. VOGEL.

Chas. F. Vogel R. E. Co., 624 Chestnut street, reports the following sales:

A four-story brick warehouse building located at Second and Branch streets, sold for the Timken Investment Co. of San Diego, Cal., to the Carr-Trombley Mfg. Co., of Dubuque, Io. The building contains 60,000 square feet. The Carr-Trombley Mfg. Co. will use this building for the manufacture of sash and doors and building material. The above named firm operates a plant at St. Joseph, Mo., also at Dubuque, Io. The property sold for about $45,000.

Also reports the sale of 100 acres of farm land with improvements, in Jersey, Ill., two miles from Jerseyville, Ill., to H. J. Raab, for Marion C. White of Jerseyville. Price $8000.

Also reports the sale of 4564 Newport avenue. Lot 28x115 improved with two frame houses. Sold to Bernard Lynch for the International R. E. and Imp. Co.

Also reports the sale of houses known as 2211-13-15 Wash street, sold for Hulda Koch to Dr. Sayman, the Holbrook-Blackwelder R. E. Co. representing Dr. Sayman.

Also reports the sale of 6030 Crest avenue, one-story frame of three rooms. Sold to Margaret White for the International R. E. and Imp. Co.

Also reports the sale of 2312 S. Eighteenth street to Andrew Sansone for the International R. E. and Imp Co.

IOWA CONCERN GETS BUILDING FOR A FACTORY HERE

Sash and Door Manufacturers Pay $45,000 for Structure at Second and Branch.

The Carr-Trombley Investment Co., of Dubuque, Io., has purchased from the Timken Investment Co. of San Diego, Cal., a four-story warehouse building at Second and Branch streets in this city, to be occupied for the manufacture of sash, doors and building materials.

The price paid was $45,000, according to the Charles F. Vogel Real Estate Co., which effected the sale.

The Carr-Trombley Co. now operates plants at St. Joseph, Mo., and Dubuque, Io.

An increased demand is reported in realty circles for buildings available for factory purposes, especially those with shipping advantages, in both North and South St. Louis. At the present time the supply of this class of structures will soon have been absorbed and can be met only by the erection of additional ones, members of the Vogel Co. declares.

BOX COMPANY GETS BUILDING AT TWENTIETH AND WASHINGTON

Long Term Lease Closed by Glueck Concern for Two-Story and Basement Structure.

A long-term lease has just been closed for the two-story and basement building at the northeast corner of Twentieth street and Washington avenue, to the Glueck Box Co. The building has a frontage of 250 feet on Washington avenue and a depth of 135 feet. It contains 85,000 square feet of floor space. The box company will use the building for the manufacture and repairing of boxes and will install modern machinery to take care of its rapidly increasing business.

The Martin-Breitt R. E. Co. represented the Wrought Iron Range Co., which owned the entire block between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets on the north side of Washington avenue, and the Harry Simon Real Estate Co. represented the Glueck Box Co.

REALTY DEALS OF WEEK VARIED IN CHARACTER

Market Active, Showing Demand for Unimproved Holdings Especially in Suburbs.

NEW HOMES TO BE BUILT

Sayman Soap Co. to Erect 4-Story Building at Twenty-Second and Wash.

Transactions in realty the past week were varied in character and reflected general activity, in both unimproved and improved holdings, the demand for the former for building sites being a notable feature.

As sites for a score of high-class houses, Mayhew & Haverstick announce the purchase of lots in West Portland place, a sub-division in University City, aggregating $20,000.

Lucie Barton acquired in the subdivision 304 feet on Berlin avenue west of Wellesley, from the Tacoma Realty Co. for $10,000, and the Preiss Building and Investment Co. 50 feet at the northwest corner of Pennsylvania and Waterman avenues, for $2800.

The Preiss Company also purchased 50x175 feet on the south side of Kingsbury boulevard between Pennsylvania avenue and Williams street, for $2500, the sellers being Mr. and Mrs Berry Moore.

The Preiss Co. is having plans drawn for the improvement of the lots with handsome homes, the company being one of the largest builders in University City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dick of San Antonio, Tex., purchased through this real estate agency 50x175 feet on the south side of Kingsbury, west of Pennsylvania, and adjoining the Moore lot, for $2500, with plans for a home.

Restrictions on Kingsbury interdict the erection of buildings costing for construction, less than $5500.

Mayhew & Haverstick also report the sale of 56 feet at the southwest corner of Berlin avenue and Williams street, on behalf of E. R. Taff, to Phelps Hurford for $2500.

Suburb Sites in Demand.

The demand for building sites in University City, including Ames place, Maryland Terrace, Forsythe place and University Heights, is unprecedented for this season of the year, and is prophetic according to Otto J. Dickman, of the Joseph F. Dickman Real Estate Co., of a large movement in this district the forthcoming spring.

Incidentally, the work of subdividing and improving the tract on the north side of Delmar avenue in the western part of University City, which was acquired by a syndicate organized by the Hemmelman-Spackler Real Estate Co., is going forward with unusual celerity. It was not originally intended to put this tract on the market until 1917, but it is understood that if the charters sought to allow the syndicate to build a street car line on Delmar from the terminus of the Delmar avenue line at Delmar Garden to its tract is denied, the lots will be thrown on the market in the early future, unrestricted.

Approximately $350,000 has been allotted for the development of this tract on a high scale and this will be expended provided University City residents do not stop the railway project, Hemmelman declares.

An eight-room house at Mount Vernon and Carleton avenues, in North University City, was sold by Mayhew & Haverstick for Louisa Storch to Charles Hetzel, a St. Louis manufacturer, for $9000.

The 304 feet on Berlin avenue purchased by Lucie Barton winds up the West Portland place interests of the Tacoma Realty Co., a subsidiary of the Holbrook-Blackwelder company, which laid out the subdivision.

Building in West Portland Place.

West Portland place, which lies on the west of Ames Place, is rapidly being built up with houses of the better class, the subdivision being one of the most attractively situated in this district.

H. L. Schnure, general agent of the Velie Motor Car Co., purchased 100x530 feet in the Catlin tract east of Skinker road, for improvement with a fine house. The purchase overlooks Forest Park lying on the south, and forms an ideal location for a residence.

The Busch-Burns Real Estate Co. has begun the erection at 2606-08-10 North Euclid avenue of the first of 18 bungalows to be erected by it on the Cupples homestead at this location. The operation in its entirety will involve about $85,000. The buildings will be of mat brick with cut stone trimmings. Lots on the north and south sides of Cupples place have been selected for the 10 other bungalows, construction to soon begin.

The Foster & Key Real Estate Co. closed the sale of a 12-family flat at the northeast corner of Minerva and Hamilton avenues, for William L. Vaugh to Robert C. Jacobs, for $27,500. These are four and five room flats with steam heating facilities, and with a frontage on Minerva avenue of 78 feet.

Two Flats Sell for $22,500.

The Butts Realty Co., in connection with F. J. Cornwell & Son, sold to the Laage Real Estate and Investment Co. two double flats at 4211-13-15-17 Hartford street for $22,500. In part payment the Laage company gave a lot at the southeast corner of Vandeventer and Maffitt avenues.

The Dougherty Real Estate Co. reports a $25,000 exchange, as follows: Sold 5721 Westminster place, a new apartment building, containing three apartments of four rooms, sun parlor and sleeping porch, steam heat, hardwood floors, renting for $1650 a year, to George H. Campbell, who gave in exchange a two-story double brick flat of five rooms at 4229-31-33-35 Delmar boulevard, on lot 46x130, renting for $1080 a year. The Trade Realty and Building Co. acquired the Delmar property.

The sale was made by Ernest Edwards of Cornett & Zeibig, for the Excelsior Realty Co., the subdivider and owner of the Catlin tract.

Another sale by Cornet & Zeibig was that of 1¼ acres on the west side of Vandeventer avenue between Eager road and Shaw avenue, for the Schnelle Lumber Co. to R. B. Kealty for $25,000. The tract lies along the Oak Hill branch of the Missouri Pacific, and will be used for the storage of cement and other building material.

The northeast corner of Twenty-second and Wash streets was purchased by the F. A. Sayman Soap and Toilet Co. as a site for a four-story and basement building, of fire proof construction. The first floor of the building will be adapted for the business of the soap and toilet company, while the upper floors will comprise modern apartments, which will be leased to its employes.

The purchase which was made through the Holbrook & Blackwelder Co., embraces 100x147 feet on the corner, and 50 feet adjoing on Wash street. The corner was owned by the estate of James B. Ghio, and the inside lot by Hulda Koch. The Ghio holding was recently cleared of its old improvements.

Sunken Garden for Employes.

The Sayman Co. recently erected an 8-story building on Franklin avenue between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets. The four-story building will cost approximately $50,000. The west part of the lot will be laid out with trees, shrubbery, and sunken gardens and fountains, with the idea of recreation grounds for the employes.

The Charles F. Vogel Real Estate Co. acted for Hulda Koch in this transaction, while Harry Boeckmann was identified with both of them.

New Church Building to Be Erected in South St. Louis



The contract has been let for the erection in Tower Grove Heights of a new edifice for the Church of Divine Science.

The building will occupy a lot 64x127 feet 6 inches on the north side of Wyoming street just west of Grand avenue. The cost will be about $30,000. The building will be equipped with all improvements, and the auditorium will have a seating capacity of about 700. The latter will be finished with buff brick walls with decorative terra-cotta panels and wood-beamed ceiling.

The basement will contain a Sunday school room, seating about 500, besides a large reading room and several committee rooms.

The building was designed by Gustav P. Wuerst, architect, and will be erected under his supervision. The contract has been let to the Hartman Building and Contracting Co.

The Rev. H. H. Schroeder, the pastor of the church, said their present building on the corner of Eighteenth and Pestalozzi streets is no longer suited to its growing membership, and they hoped to be in the new church within six months.

The services are held in both the English and German languages.

POLICE NOTIFY REALTY AGENTS TO CLEAN SNOW FROM WALKS

Department Is Thanked for Making Known Impeded Traffic Before Vacant Property.

Real estate men are thanking the Police Department for notifying them to have snow cleaned off of property for which they are agents.

The following letter was sent to the M. B. O'Reilly Real Estate Co.:

Ninth Police District, Feb. 7, 1916.

M. B. O'Reilly R. E. Co.:

Dear Sirs—Attached please find a list of vacant property under your control. It is necessary that the snow be removed from sidewalks in front of this property. Please attend to this matter at once, and oblige, yours truly,

SETH SINGLETON,
Captain Ninth Police District.

Munition Plant Employes Wed.

Omar Hefley, 19, and Lulu Brown, 17, both of Alton, were married in Edwardsville yesterday afternoon by Justice James B. Dale. They told the Justice that they fell in love while working together at the plant of the Western Cartridge Co. in East Alton.

BIG ALTERATIONS MADE IN BUILDING AT UNION STATION

Mercantile Trust Company Improves Structure at Eighteenth and Market Streets.

Extensive alterations have been made on the building at the northwest corner of Eighteenth and Market streets, opposite the Union Station. The property is owned by the Depot Realty Co., and the work has been done under the direction of the Mercantile Trust Co., agents. The building has been thoroughly modernized, new front of attractive design has been put in with modern show windows, bringing the improvements up to a higher class as demanded by the prominent location.

The upper floors have been leased for a modern hotel. Leases also have been made to the United Cigar Stores Co., a large drug store and saloon and tailor shop. Arrangements have been made for a restaurant, with large seating capacity, and other stores arranged of size suitable to the district.

The improvements will be finished next week and the unrented stores will then be leased for long term of years. The large increase in traveling, as shown by the railway reports, and the increasing suburban development, has added much life and activity to the better corners on Market street near the Union Station.

C. M. Nicholson Disposes of Maurine Apartment to Miller Estate.

The Maurine, a six-family apartment building, containing three suites of eight rooms and two baths each, and three suites of six rooms and two baths each, was sold for the account of C. M. Nicholson to I. N. Miller. It yields a gross approximate rental of $7200 a year. The consideration was $65,000.

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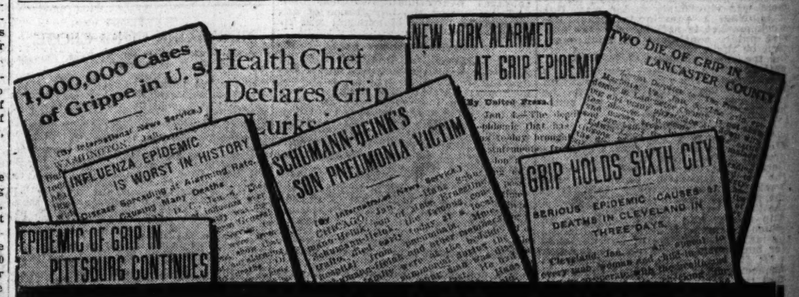
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Before coming to this country in 1913, St. Julien was the champion of England; and for the two successive years he has been here, he has captured the trophy for the best Pom in the Westminster Kennel Club show at Madison Square Garden. And, to pile Pelion upon Ossa (speaking dogmatically), at the recent Toy Spaniel Show at the Hotel McAlpin he was pronounced the best dog of any breed in the show!

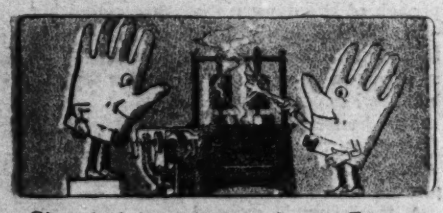
St. Julien conforms very closely to the best standards for Pomeranians. He is an engaging little fellow, very bright of eye, small and erect of ear, black of nose, and stately of carriage. In color he is an orange sable, with a profuse coat, wonderful plumage and short cobby body. Experts pronounce him one of the most stylish of show dogs, and, what is more to the purpose, entirely sound.

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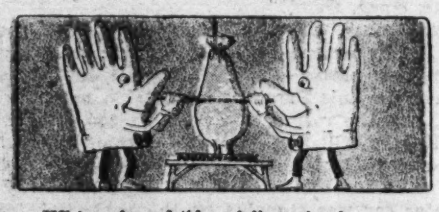


Look!!! These pictures show why your Sterling Gum is untouched by hands.

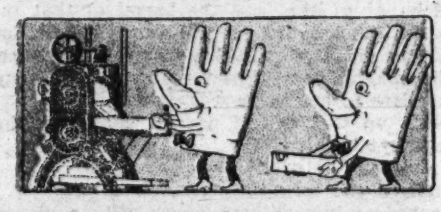
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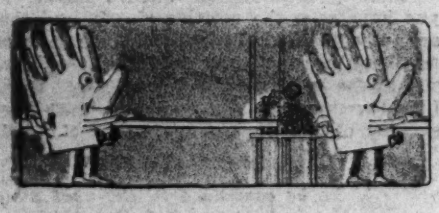
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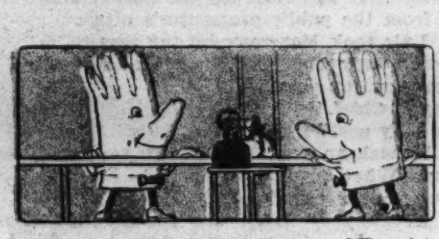
White-gloved "hands" strain the sap



In kneading, too, white gloves are worn



Here gloved "hands" roll the gum



Scoring the gum. Still white-gloved "hands"



Gloved "hands" gather the sticks



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"The Alliance will not let my mamma tell the story of our misfortunes."

VIENNA IS ONE GRAND CITY

No. 6 of "Off for America," the Story of a Yiddish Family Exodus

By SHOLOM ALEICHEM,
"The Yiddish Mark Twain."
Authorized Translation by Marion Weinstein.
Illustrated by Samuel Cahan.

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A FAMILY of Russian Jews have left their native village to emigrate to America. They have their own troubles at the hands of the official bodies supposed to help them on their way. From Brody to Lemberg, then to Vienna, and after Vienna—who knows where, or to what luck? But they retain their good spirits and humor, their shrewdness, eagerness and optimism. The boy Muttel is telling the story of their adventures.

"VIENNA, now, is a city!"

So my brother Elihu passed judgment. And our chum, Pini, chimed in:

"And such a city! One grand city, you should say."

Even the women, whom nothing in the world pleases, have admitted that Vienna is a city.

In honor of the city Vienna my mamma has taken out her Sabbath silk shawl. My sister-in-law, Brocha, has dressed herself up as for a wedding. In her wig with her long dangling earrings and freckled face, she looks like a red cat in a black veil.

What are we doing in Vienna? Nothing. We stroll through the streets. Oh, what streets! Oh, what houses! You ought to see the windows! Looking glasses, not windows! And goods! trinkets! clothes! dishes! jewelry! At almost every window we stop and try to figure up how much everything is worth. We men appraise the articles while the women wish themselves even half of what the city of Vienna is worth with its houses and its stores and its goods. Pini bursts out laughing and says:

"You may wish yourself even a tenth part. That would be enough, too."

"What does it bother you if they wish themselves half? Do you begrudge it to them?"

So my brother Elihu says, and strokes his little beard. In the course of our journey to America my brother Elihu's beard has sprouted fast. And in funny way, too. Something like a broom. I wanted to copy it on paper. I once drew Pini, too, on a piece of paper. And my sister-in-law, Brocha, I dashed off on the table with a bit of chalk. But I got a good trouncing for it. She, herself, that is Brocha, caught sight of the picture I drew and recognized herself as in a mirror. So she called my brother Elihu over. And I got it from him. If it had not been for my mamma he would have killed me. He hits me every time he sees me drawing. I have loved to draw ever since I was a child. First I used to draw with charcoal on the white walls; so they hit me. Then with chalk on the door; so they hit me. Now I draw with a pencil on paper—so they want to hit me again.

"You have begun again with those Menchelech" (mannikins), my brother Elihu cries.

For drawing they don't hit me as much as for kneading. I have a habit of kneading soft bread and making little pigs from it. My brother Elihu, when he sees this, raps me on the knuckles. Our chum Pini tries to help me out. He says:

"What have you against the boy? Let him knead, let him draw! Perhaps he is destined to be an artist some day."

My brother Elihu hears this and begins to shower words:

"What! An artist! A Mulgetz! He will smear cloisters! Daub walls! Paint roofs! Let him better be a choirboy for a Cantor. When we shall come to America, with God's help, I will place him with a Cantor. He has a soprano voice."

"Why not with a mechanic? In America everybody is a mechanic. In America everybody works!"

"Is that so? A mechanic? My enemies will not live to see the day when Pasi the Cantor's boy will be a mechanic!"

I notice that my mamma is on the verge of tears. Pini wants to redeem himself. He says:

"What a peculiar woman you are! How is it that we learn in the Talmud that the Tanah Reb Johanan was a shoemaker; and the Tanah Reb Isaac was a blacksmith? Or what more do you want? Here is my uncle, a watchmaker, and my father, a mechanic!"

Pini thinks he has mended things, but he has only put both feet in. My mamma doesn't stop crying.

"Sure! It was worth while! My husband had to be a Kosher Jew and leave the world in his young years, so that his baby should be, God forbid! a tailor or a shoemaker, and in America at that!"

"Aha! You are crying again? Have you forgotten that in America you need eyes?"

So my brother Elihu says, and my mamma soon stops crying.

I DON'T care what I will be in America! I only wish I were there already. Something is pulling me to America—awful. In my mind, I have decided that in America I shall learn three things: To swim, to write and to smoke cigars. I know how to do all these things now, too, but not as well as the people in America.



"I drew them with charcoal on the white walls—and they wanted to kill me."

I know how to write, too, even though nobody has taught me. I copy printed letters from the Prayer Book. I write so that it is hard to tell they are copied. I draw, I don't write. I would like to write faster, but I can't. In America, they say, people write fast. Everything is done fast, they say—hurry scurry, on the jump. They have no time there. So I have heard the emigrants tell.

I know almost everything that is going on in America, even before I have been there. There, they say, people ride under the earth, and they make a living. How they make that I don't know, yet. But I will soon know. I catch on to a thing very quickly. I see a person once and I draw him with all the trimmings. I made a picture of our chum Pini not long ago, just as he walks with his little hop and peers with his near-sighted eyes and talks fast, as if he were swallowing hot noodles. My sister-in-law Brocha held her sides and my mamma laughed so hard she began to cry. But my brother Elihu hates such jokes. He won't let me lift my head. He's a funny article, my brother Elihu! He loves me, and he hits me—makes my life miserable—my mamma won't let him hit me. She says to him:

"Have children of your own first. Then you can hit them."

But just let a stranger try to touch me with a finger! Elihu will take his eyes out.

WE would have left Vienna long ago if it were not for the Alliance. Who that "Alliance" is, I can't tell you exactly. I only hear people talk of Alliance! Alliance! Alliance! All the emigrants are made at the Alliance. They say it does not do a thing right. The Alliance, they say, has no pity for people. It hates a Jew.

Every day my brother Elihu and our chum Pini go to the Alliance. And they come back from there every time as if they had been to a steam bath.

"He should catch fire!" says Elihu.

"He should burn like a candle!" says Pini.

"Better let me talk things over with the Alliance," says my mamma, and takes me by the hand.

We go to the Alliance; my mamma and I, and Elihu and Pini and Brocha and Taibel. The Alliance I picture with a beard and a sash and a red nose. Why a red nose? I don't know myself. Still, it seems to me that I know him: He has wicked, gleaming eyes, wears a broad, peaked cap and holds a whip in his hand.

Oh, how far we walked! My Brocha wished the Alliance should have a stitch in his right side as she had in her left. Then he would not have moved to the tail end of the city!

Finally, after all our trouble, we came to the Alliance. What a house he lives in! Every Jew should have such luck! But it has no lawn. Vienna does not believe in lawns. Vienna loves broad windows and immense doors. But the people keep the doors locked.

"I guess they are afraid somebody will steal them!" So my sister-in-law Brocha says. See! She has taken a dislike to Vienna too * * * It doesn't suit her, because you have to ring before you can go into a house. What do I care if I ring, as long as they open the door?

The Alliance, however, does not open the door so soon. You may ring till you split your sides. He has plenty of time. You think we are the only ones? There are other emigrants standing here with us. They watch us ring. "Ring a little more! Perhaps you will have better luck!" So the emigrants say, and laugh. It seems they feel happy.

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From Immigrant's Son to U. S. Supreme Court

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Dingley tariff bearing and announcing that he was there to represent "the consumer."

"Mr. Louis D. Brandeis," said a newspaper of that date, "who appeared before the Ways and Means Committee today on behalf of the consumers of the United States, did not receive a very cordial welcome. 'I desire,' he said, 'to speak in behalf of those who form a country; and that their annual income was greater than the revenues of the Federal Government. Half of these enormous assets were in the hands of three Great Wall street companies, and this vast command of the quick capital of the nation gave them an ever-tightening grip on the business of the country.

On the other hand, he learned that through extravagant living in public. You go inside. You know the fellows that have got the Y——— money. Get it pooled quietly and come out here with it, so we can count up the bets."

Pindell agreed. Under the stars Pindell and Parks walked up and down, while Fox disappeared inside the barn on his errand. In 10 minutes he was back. The men sneaked round the corner of the barn and Parks went for a lantern, by whose light the stack of bills was counted. Y——— had done well. There was something like $42,000 in their pile.

"We're a couple of thousand short," said Pindell.

"Say," demanded Fox, "don't I get any chance to lay a few bets? Let me copper this for mine."

And so it was agreed. Fox rolled the money carefully into a leather holder and crammed it into a capacious pocket. The men went back and entered the stable. Parks went to the center of the ring and held up a warning hand.

"Boys," he said, "I want you all to have a good time, but this thing is dangerous, and I'll have to ask you to be quiet. We've got a tip that the Sheriff is wise and is coming from Z———. When it's over make your getaway at once. And if anything happens run for it. You know it might mean jail to get caught. I understand that some of the boys have made some bets. That's against the law. If the Sheriff gets anybody who has done that, it's likely to mean Jefferson City. I only want to warn you."

Young Ford sprang into the ring and threw off his bath robe. A moment later the Sycamore Kid appeared. He was slightly longer and less powerful than Ford, and he had a terrific face and a fierce mouth which he kept tightly locked. He looked right and left, bowed, sat and stared about him, always with his jaws locked and his lips pressed to protrusion. Parks clanged the bell. Fox might have been seen standing close to the door in a shadow, his hand on the hasp, holding it shut.

The Sycamore Kid sailed straight in. He was a whirlwind. For the whole first rounds it seemed Ford was powerless to evade his blows. He swung wild, missed and took the Kid's swift punches about the body and head for his pains. In the second round it was much the same, save that Ford seemed to try harder, to swing more desperately, to fight more surely. How those two young men did bombard each other. It was worth the money 10 times over, said the gleeful crowd. It was a peach!

Clang! The third round. Ford was in the center of the ring at the bell, swinging his hands and trying furiously to penetrate the Kid's guard. The Sycamore leaned over and popped his gloves to Ford's eye. The smaller man grew furious. He rushed in like a wild bull. He swung madly with his right. For a fractional second the wily Sycamore had been off guard. The blow went home like a triphammer smashing into his heart region. The Sycamore's guard went down; his eyes glazed. Instantly Ford shot over his fist to the stunned man's jaw. The Kid reeled. His jaw fell open. It snapped shut spasmodically and a thin stream of blood shot across the ring. The next moment the beaten fighter toppled and fell on his face.

Instantly Parks had sprung into the ring. He leaped across and bent over the fallen fighter. He pressed his ear to the man's ribs and listened. In a moment he stood up tall and white and trembling.

"Good Lord!" he yelled hoarsely. "I guess you've killed him!"

"Run for it," shouted someone from near the door. In five minutes not one remained.

A minute later John Parks and Bill Fox carried the fully dressed form of the Sycamore Kid up the road a few yards to an automobile that had been driven up while the firht was in progress.

"Aw, let me walk," came from the supposed corpse.

"Nix, someone might be peepin'."

They laid the man into the tonneau. A moment later Ford hurried up carrying the robes and gloves. The men piled into the car. It charged off up the road. Half a mile away it turned west, treaded its way through bypaths to the main road to St. Joseph. Then it lit out like a streak.

The Sycamore Kid was sitting up now, between Parks and Fox.

"Damn it, Bill," he complained to one of his companions. "Johnny has to do my trick next time. That blood always makes me sick."

"Yes, and you nearly spilled the beans," complained Ford. "You ain't supposed to dine on that bladder. Just give it one bite."

In his home town Amos Pindell was a ruined man if ridicule can ruin. A few hours after the thing had happened Y——— and Pindell both broke to a realization. Y——— had bet only a couple of thousand dollars, Fox's surplus. The swindlers had made off with this. But Pindell had bet $40,000 acording to the story Parks had told around, and Y——— was happy to believe it. It was the most grateful joke of a generation. Pindell went away for a month, but he found ridicule only more intolerable when he returned. Finally he swallowed his pride, took a train one morning and appeared before the United States Attorney at Council Bluffs, Io., where he told his story with much humiliation and many demands for assurances of his own immunity.

In this way action was finally taken against this picturesque and notorious gang of swindlers. When the exposure finally came they were operating from St. Paul to Hot Springs, Ark., and from Denver east to Chicago. I think I need not say that my characters are the members of the now famous Maybray gang.

The originator of the scheme, the master mind of the whole plot was John C. Maybray, now Parks, now Smith, now Jones, now Brown. The name mattered not. He and his associates had raked half a dozen states with a comb of fraud and reaped millions. They had in their employ perhaps a hundred fighters, wrestlers and jockeys, some of them bearing famous names, but serving the gang incognito. The gang supported private stables of racing horses, a medical staff, gambling halls, and gave employment to a dozen women sharpers.

With Pindell's confession began an exposure. It took more than two years to run down this gang and detect the widespread conspiracy. In the end we made more than 100 arrests and 83 persons were convicted and sent to prison.

Maybray himself, the gambler turned conspirator, was sent to the Federal Prison at Leavenworth to pay for his fun.

Some of the names and towns in this story have been disguised. This has been done at the request of a United States District Attorney.

Kings of the "Double Cross"

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something happened. His horse broke in the stretch; it stumbled and fell. More than once the horse carrying the victim's money dropped dead in the stretch from a broken blood vessel caused by the jockey's expert pulling.

In the spring of 1910 Parks turned up in the little town of X———, Mo., to try his wiles on Amos Pindell, a banker. Parks had met him on one of his occasional excursions to St. Joseph and had won a few dollars from him on a prize fight. Later he had allowed Pindell to win it back.

The easy-money trap was set and baited. Pindell had agreed to bet $20,000 on a prize fighter called the Sycamore Kid in a matched bout with another called Young Ford. Both these men were ex-champions in their class, now fallen into defeat, discard and evil ways. The agreement was that Parks also was to bet $20,000 on the Sycamore.

Parks had played the ill will of the neighboring town of Y——— against Pindell's cupidity. He told the banker that the fight would be fixed in favor of the Sycamore Kid. On the other hand, he convinced Pindell that the sporting element in Y——— had been convinced that it was fixed for Ford.

Shrewd as the rough old banker was, he had been utterly taken in. He had even agreed to put the stake money into the hands of Bill Fox, for whom Parks vouched and whom he summoned from St. Joseph on the Wednesday preceding the day of the fight, set for a Friday night. The men were to appear at Pindell's bank and get the $40,000 put up by Parks and Pindell.

It was 4 o'clock on Friday afternoon when Bill Fox and Parks stood at the side door of Pindell's bank and knocked for admittance.

"Now remember," whispered Parks. "Be careful. This guy's got my $20,000 and his in this bank. The $40,000 to bet against it is ours. Hanna has got it over in Y———. This stiff has got to think it's a purse made up by fellows over there that are to be the suckers. Now don't bungle."

Pindell himself let them in. He had the money ready on his desk and counted it out to Fox. Ten minutes later the three men emerged, got into Pindell's automobile and drove off for Y———.

Just before 8 o'clock a stream of buggies, wagons, bicycles and automobiles began to trickle down the main street of Y——— toward the Parkler farm. At the gate of this place another crowd from X——— met it. Mostly the men who came were business men, clerks, shopkeepers from the two rival towns, but there was also a liberal sprinkling of somewhat sinister strangers.

The interior of the Parkler stable had been crudely prepared for a battle. The seats were filling up when Parks arrived with Fox and Pindell. The moment he entered the man who held the door called him aside and whispered to him. He nodded and looked troubled. Then he called Pindell and Fox outside and walked them off a few yards.

"Frank tells me the Sheriff's snooping around," he said ominously. "He's afraid a couple of guys who got in are deputies."

Pindell was nervous immediately. Even in the darkness he seemed pale.

"Tell you what you better do, Fox," said Parks in a moment. "We must be mighty careful not do do any

The Teeth of the Tiger

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"What! Why, Alexandre, you must be ill!"

"Look here, Chief," said Mazeroux feebly. "What can it matter to you? It's only natural that the Prefect should wish to speak to you."

"Ah, its the Prefect who wishes, is it? * * * Well, my lad, you can tell him that I am not at his orders, that I am at nobody's orders, and that, if the President of the Republic, if Napoleon I himself were to bar my way * * * Besides, rats! Enough said. Get out of the road!"

He seized Mazeroux by both shoulders, made him spin round on his heels and, with a push, sent him floundering over the sofa. Then he opened the door.

"Halt, or I fire!"

It was Mazeroux, who had scrambled to his feet and now stood with his revolver in his hand and a determined expression on his face.

Don Luis stopped in amazement. The threat was absolutely indifferent to him, and the barrel of that revolver aimed at him left him as cold as could be. But by what prodigy did Mazeroux, his former accomplice, his ardent disciple, his devoted servant, by what prodigy did Mazeroux dare to act as he was doing?

Perenna went up to him and pressed gently on the detective's outstretched arm.

"Prefect's orders?" he asked.

"Yes," muttered the sergeant uncomfortably.

Perenna looked at him without anger, with a glance of affectionate sympathy; and it was an absorbing sight for him to see his former companion dominated by such a sense of discipline and duty. Nothing was able to prevail against that sense, not even the fierce admiration, the almost animal attachment which Mazeroux retained for his master.

"I'm not angry, Mazeroux. In fact, I approve. Only you must tell me the reason why the Prefect of Police"—

The detective did not reply, but his eyes wore an expression of such sadness that Don Luis started, suddenly understanding.

"No!" he cried, "no!" * * * It's absurd. * * * he can't have thought that. * * * And you, Mazeroux, do you believe me guilty?"

"Oh, I, Chief, am as sure of you as I am of myself! * * * You don't take life! * * * But, all the same, there are things * * * coincidences"——

"Things * * * coincidences," repeated Don Luis slowly.

He remained pensive; and, in a low voice, he said:

"Yes, after all, there is truth in what you say. * * * Yes, it all fits in. * * * Why didn't I think of it? * * * My relations with Cosmo Mornington, my arrival in Paris in time for the reading of the will, my insisting on spending the night here, the fact that the death of the two Fauvilles undoubtedly gives me millions. * * * And then * * * and then * * * why, he's absolutely right, your Prefect of Police! * * * All the more so as * * * Well, there, I'm a goner!"

"Come, come, Chief!"

"A dead-goner, old chap; you just get that into your head. Not as Arsene Lupin, ex-burglar, ex-convict, ex-anything you please—I'm unattackable on that ground—but as Don Luis Perenna, respectable man, residuary legatee, and the rest of it. And it's too stupid! For, after all, who will find the murderers of Cosmo, Verot and the two Fauvilles, if they go clapping me into jail?"

A motor car was stopping on the boulevard, followed by another. It was evidently the Prefect and the magistrates from the public prosecutor's office.

Don Luis took Mazeroux by the arm.

"There's only one way out of it, Alexandre! Don't say you went to sleep."

"I must, Chief."

"You silly ass!" growled Don Luis. "How is it possible to be such an ass! It's enough to disgust one with honesty. What am I to do, then?"

"Discover the culprit, Chief."

"What! * * * What are you talking about?"

"Discover the culprit, Chief. If not, you're done for * * * that's certain * * * the Prefect told me so. * * * The police want a culprit * * * they want him this evening. * * * One has got to be found. * * * It's up to you to find him."

"What you have, Alexandre, is a merry wit."

"It's child's play for you, Chief. You have only to set your mind to it."

"But there's not the least clew, you ass!"

"You'll find one * * * you must * * * I entreat you, hand them over somebody. * * * It would be more than I could bear if you were arrested. You, the Chief, accused of murder! No, no * * * I entreat you, discover the criminal and hand him over. * * * You have the whole day to do it in * * * and Lupin has done greater things than that!"

He was stammering, weeping, wringing his hands, grimacing with every feature of his comic face. And it was really touching, this grief, this dismay at the approach of the danger that threatened his master.

M. Desmalion's voice was heard in the hall, through the curtain that closed the passage. A third motor car stopped on the boulevard, and a fourth, both doubtless laden with policemen.

The house was surrounded, besieged.

Perenna was silent.

Beside him, anxious-faced, Mazeroux seemed to be imploring him.

A few seconds elapsed.

Then Perenna declared, deliberately:

"Looking at things all round, Alexandre, I admit that you have seen the position clearly and that your fears are fully justified. If I do not manage to hand over the murderer or murderers of Hippolyte Fauville and his son to the police in a few hours from now, it is I, Don Luis Perenna, who will be lodged in durance vile on the evening of this Thursday, the first of April."

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How a Sightless Woman Built a Telephone System

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sightless person busy to the exclusion of everything else, but not so with this remarkable woman. When the carpenters were remodeling her house, she superintended all the work. She told what kind of materials she wanted. She satisfied herself by means of her sensitive fingers that all the joints in the woodwork were perfect. She prescribed the color schemes in the decoration. She came to St. Louis with Mrs. Woodside, wife of the Circuit Judge, and selected her own furniture. There isn't a more tastefully complete dwelling anywhere.

She is an active member of the town's two leading literary clubs. She attends the meetings. When it comes her turn to prepare a paper on some topic, she dictates it to a stenographer and someone reads it for her. Her specialty is discussion of current events. She has a large part in the social activities of Salem and is an eagerly sought guest at all functions. That is because she is a born leader, with an active mind and a most gracious and pleasing personality.

She spends each working day in an armchair near one of the switchboards and her fingers are incessantly busy at "tatting." No person blessed with sight can turn out more perfect work and she is not discouraged by the most intricate designs. She has 14 friends for each of whom each Christmas she makes one of a set of seven pieces, including pillow slips, sheets, towels, etc.

She is rather under than over the average height, plump, with a pleasant face, full cheeks, a placid brow, surmounted by a wealth of gray hair. One would never guess from looking at her eyes that they were sightless. Her voice is soft and well modulated and her whole bearing is graceful. She is, in fact, a woman who would be noticed in any gathering, whether one knew or not about her misfortune.

She dislikes to talk about herself and her affairs, to strangers at least. A Post-Dispatch reporter who interviewed her found her reticent almost to the point of timidity. She very frankly admitted that she was averse to all kinds of publicity and it was not until she could be persuaded that the story of her achievements might encourage many another unfortunate to successful endeavor that she consented to talk at all. Even then she was inclined to decry her own ability and the information in this story was obtained more from her friends in Salem than from herself.

If anybody was ever blessed with friends it is Mrs. Bruce. She is at least secure from competition in her business in her own town. As one citizen said, if anybody else should try to open a telephone exchange in that town he would start a riot.

America's Most Noted Invalid, Molly Fancher; Has Survived Suffering of Half a Century in Bed

Friends bring money and other gifts to cheer her on her novel "birthday party"—Once attracted notice of psychics because of her strange manifestation of what appeared to be clairvoyancy :: :: ::



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Miss Fancher as she appeared to her guests at the celebration.

THERE are many queer celebrations, annual, centennial and semi-centennial, but one of the queerest of all took place in Brooklyn the other day when a throng of friends gathered about the bedside of Miss Mary J. Fancher, better known as Molly Fancher. They were there to help her observe the fiftieth anniversary of the day when she took to her bed an invalid, not to rise from it in half a century.

It was by no means a gloomy occasion. There were no condolences. On all hands the sick woman was congratulated upon the fortitude that had sustained her through such a long period of suffering and the wishes for "many happy returns" were whole-hearted and sincere. Many of them brought gifts of money amounting in all to upwards of $1000.

Miss Fancher smilingly received her guests, finding a pleasant word for each. Apparently it occurred no more to her than to any of them that she was one of the world's great unfortunates.

The world has made amazing strides since that February day in 1866 when she was borne to her couch, suffering convulsions and with her sight and hearing gone. The aeroplane, the automobile, wireless telegraphy, the telephone, electric lighting were unknown, and, some of them, scarcely dreamed of. It was to be five years before France and Germany fought that great war which was to deprive the former of Alsace and Lorraine and to contain the seeds of the strife which today is paralyzing the world.

Japan was still a semi-barbarous and little-known country. Prusssia and Austria were about to engage in the struggle which was to expel the latter from the German Confederacy. Woodrow Wilson was a schoolboy in the Fourth Reader and Theodore Roosevelt was strenuously spinning tops. Many of those at this celebration had not yet been born and Earl Kitchener was not even yet a subaltern in the Royal Engineers.

Although doomed for the rest of her life to her bed, Miss Fancher was by no means destined to play a small part in the world's affairs. She was to become a person of strange occult powers and around her was to wage a fierce controversy of psychological debate. Learned men were to study her case and write profound treatises about it. She was to regain most of her faculties and to manifest strange supernormal powers. Even so august a body as the British Society of Psychic Research was to concern itself with her affairs.

Time after time she was to draw near to the brink of the infinite, only to be snatched back again. At least nine years were to pass in which her conscious self was plunged in total darkness. And yet, in spite of it all, she was to live and, at the end of 50 years, to be in perhaps better health than at any time for five decades.

Thus it was that she could find occasion to say to a questioner that, while she had had her crosses to bear, she considered her lot much happier than that of many who today are hungry and without work. The late Judge A. H. Dailey, who wrote a book about her in 1894, declared that even then she had written 6500 letters, crocheted 1000 ounces of worsted, done a great deal of embroidery and wax work, although for years she had to knit behind her head, her left arm being raised to meet the position of the paralyzed right.

Judge Dailey's book was called "Molly Fancher, the Brooklyn Enigma," which was reviewed by Prof. William Romaine Newbold of the University of Pennsylvania for the Society for Psychical Research. His interesting article follows in full:

"This book consists of a rather disconnected narrative by Judge Dailey, abstracts of a dairy kept by Miss Fancher's aunt and a series of signed statements made by friends, and a number of reprints of articles which originally appeared in the daily papers. No attempt has been made to reduce this mass to a coherent whole. The main facts may be outlined as follows:

"Miss Fancher was born Aug. 16, 1848. As a child, her health was good, but in March of 1864 it began to fail. She had 'nervous indigestion,' inability to retain food, 'fainting spells,' 'weakness in the chest,' and she wasted away.' May 10, 1864, she was thrown from her horse and severely injured.

"In the course of the following summer the lower part of her body became suddenly paralyzed. She seemed to recover from the effects of this act during the autumn, but on June 8, 1865, as she was stepping from a street car, the car started too soon, she was thrown to the ground, her skirt caught upon a projecting hook and she was dragged some yards, again receiving serious injuries. This was followed by weakness, transient paralysis, pain, cough and hemorrhages from the lungs.



"That one" (pointing to Mr. Sisson) "is the man."

"In February, 1866, convulsions appeared. Soon afterwards she lost, in rapid succession, sight, speech and hearing. From that date to 1894, when the book was written, her history was that of a hysteric of the worst type—anesthesias, paralyses, contractures and convulsions involving now this, now that organ of sense or group of muscles and succeeding one another in bewildering variety. Her sight, however, was never restored (this was written in 1899), although in recent years she seems to be recovering some portion of it. Throughout this period normal sleep seemed to be replaced by 'trances,' in which the whole body became rigid.

"In 1875, after a trance lasting a month, it was found that her memory of the nine years immediately preceding had been completely obliterated, the contractures which had marked those years had disappeared and all the skill in embroidery, etc., which she had acquired during them was lost.



Four dream persons each calling itself Molly Fancher, told of forgotten days.

"From 1875 to the date of the book, Miss Fancher's memories were approximately continuous, the only exceptions being found in the lives of her secondary selves. She also remembers the events of her early life, up to the nine-year period. About 1878 a new memory synthesis appeared, but soon vanished and was not again observed until 1887. It was then named by her friends, 'Idol.'

"Others of later date were named 'Rosebud,' 'Pearl' and 'Ruby.' The normal Miss Fancher was named 'Sunbeam,' to distinguish her from these. Each of these memory systems or personalities calls itself Mollie Fancher, possesses a portion of Miss Fancher's memories and remembers its own previous occurrences. No one has any knowledge of any other save in so far as informed by other persons.

"'Rosebud' seems to be identical with Mollie Fancher as she was at six or seven years. 'Idol' and 'Pearl' are young girls of about 16, but neither recalls the first accident, while 'Ruby,' who seems to be about the same age, recalls the first, but not the second accident. 'Idol' and 'Pearl' are quiet, and not markedly unlike one another, while 'Ruby' is vivacious, cheerful and talkative. None of them possesses 'Sunbeam's' acquired skill, and all are extremely unstable, appearing only during the night and lasting but a few minutes.

"During her years of blindness Miss Fancher has powers of vision. It is claimed that she has repeatedly read sealed letters, described events at a distance and found lost articles. She also believes that she sees a world of spirits but is extremely reticent upon that topic.

"One is disappointed to find that Judge Dailey adduces little evidence of value to support these claims. He has, indeed, recorded the narratives of many witnesses whose truthfulness no one would question, but in not one of these narratives are the facts given with that attention to details and that care to avoid misdescription which the nature of the case demands. Many are vague in the extreme, and very few tell us how much time elapsed between the event and its committal to writing.

"To glance at only the best of these: Prof. Parkhurst submitted to Miss Fancher a sealed envelope containing a slip of printed paper, the contents of which he did not himself know. She told him that it contained the words 'court,' 'jurisdiction' and the numerals 6, 2, 3, 4. These he wrote in his notebook, took the envelope away still sealed, read Miss Fancher's statement to two friends, in their presence, opened the envelope.

"Miss Fancher's statements were found to be correct. But we are not told how large the type was, how many thicknesses of paper concealed it, how Miss Fancher handled the envelope, how long she had it in her possession, or whether she had it at any time when Prof. Parkhurst was not present.

"Dr. Speir states that Miss Fancher once wrote for him upon a slate the contents of a letter which had just been brought to her by the postman and was as yet unopened. We are not given copies of the two, nor are we told how much time elapsed between the event and the record, nor who wrote the letter, nor whether Miss Fancher could have known that Dr. Speir would be present when the letter came.

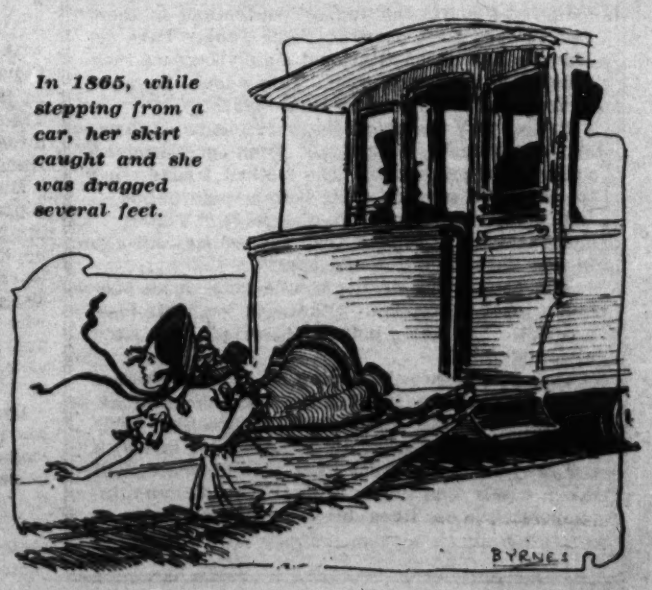
"Miss Fancher once told Judge Dailey that she had seen him upon a given evening with a gentleman whom she described. After some difficulty, Judge Dailey recollected that upon that evening he had been with a friend named Sisson. Some months later, Judge Dailey, Mr. Sisson and another person called upon Miss Fancher. She at first said she had not seen either of the two gentlemen, but, after a moment's reflection, said that one, pointing to Mr. Sisson, was the man she had seen with the Judge.

"This is one of the best cases, as it is corroborated by Mr. Sisson, and it appears that his account was written only six months after the event. We would like to know, however, whether any further questions were asked Miss Fancher after she had first stated that she did not recognize Mr. Sisson.

"In brief, the evidence which Judge Dailey has collected will seem satisfactory only to those who are already satisfied of the possibility of clairvoyance. It will do little towards establishing that possibility. And as Miss Fancher's clairvoyant powers are said to be much less keen now than they were some years ago, it is not probable that her case will contribute much of value to the evidence for the supernormal. One can readily appreciate the repugnance which Miss Fancher felt to submitting herself to the commission of experts suggested by the New York Medico-Legal Society, but it is much to be regretted that her friends should have allowed the value of her case to be lost through mere negligence."

Since the professor wrote the foregoing, Miss Fancher has figured little in the press. Since that time, in fact, her physical condition has been much improved and she gave less scope to the activities which had so astonished her associates. Although she gradually regained control of her lost senses, her general health never improved enough to allow her to quit her bed.

At the age of 67 she maintains a keen interest in what is going on in the world from which she has been excluded. She long ago resigned herself to the inevitable and manages to keep cheerful.



In 1865, while stepping from a car, her skirt caught and she was dragged several feet.

From Immigrant's Son to U. S. Supreme Court

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Dingley tariff bearing and announcing that he was there to represent "the consumer."

"Mr. Louis D. Brandeis," said a newspaper of that date, "who appeared before the Ways and Means Committee today on behalf of the consumers of the United States, did not receive a very cordial welcome. 'I desire,' he said, 'to speak in behalf of those who form a far larger part of the people of this country than any other who have found representation here.' At this point there were signs of restlessness. Chairman Dingley felt called upon to tell the gentleman that this was not an appropriate time for a speech on free trade. A Democratic member said he supposed it would be in order for one man to appear for the consumer. Mr. Brandeis continued, and was again interrupted by laughter and jeers. But Mr. Dalzell remarked: 'Oh, let him run down.'" And so this lone representative of the consumer was allowed five minutes more.

In the same year he renewed on a larger scale his successful battle in support of the policy of Boston's retaining control of its transportation system. He had a bitter fight of three years against the New York financiers who formed the Boston Elevated Railway System, and who sought to obtain perpetual and absolute mastery of the city's surface, subway and elevated lines. In the end Brandeis forced them to accept leases of not more than 25 years and to pay to the city rentals of 4 1-2 per cent.

Next came the conflict which won Brandeis national fame as "the man who gave Boston cheaper gas." For years the city's gas companies had been involved in endless scandals. The service was poor and the price was high—$1 a thousand feet. In 1903 the Boston companies applied to the Legislature for leave to consolidate. The Franchise League contended that if the high capitalization asked for were granted, lower prices of gas in the future would be impossible. When the long and strenuous contest reached its climax, Brandeis stepped in between the opponents with his famous compromise plan, which has been pronounced the best contract between a city and a public utility which exists in this country.

The exposure of bad financial management of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, more than any other one thing, led to the exposure and comprehension of wasteful methods of big business all over the country: and that exposure of the New Haven was almost single-handed the work of Brandeis. The imperial dream is still fresh in mind, in which a few New York financiers proposed to build up a monopoly of all land and water transportation within New England, and thus govern absolutely New England's future growth.

That this dream must fail was first perceived by Brandeis; and he was by far the most vigorous in aiding it towards its inevitable collapse.

Meanwhile, as unpaid counsel for the policy holders of the Equitable Life Assurance Co., Brandeis began those studies on the subject of insurance which soon led him to his celebrated assault upon the "Money Trust." He found that the 90 leading life insurance companies controlled nearly 13 billions of dollars, or more than the value of all the railroads then in the country; and that their annual income was greater than the revenues of the Federal Government. Half of these enormous assets were in the hands of three great Wall street companies, and this vast command of the quick capital of the nation gave them an ever-tightening grip on the business of the country.

On the other hand, he learned that through extravagant and inefficient methods, the companies were pouring out about two-fifths of the policy holders' money for running expenses. He drafted recommendations urging radical changes to reduce the enormous waste of the system and provide safeguards against abuse. It is said that Grover Cleveland, one of the newly appointed trustees of the Equitable, gave these recommendations to Paul Morton, the incoming president of the company, and told him that on these principles the reorganization should proceed. They are, in the main, the same principles later insisted upon by Gov. Hughes and embodied in the Armstrong bill.

In 1907, in Oregon, a bill was passed restricting women's work in factories and laundries to 10 hours a day. It was attacked as being unconstitutional, in that it was class legislation, affecting only women; and the contest was taken before the United States Supreme Court. Brandeis undertook the defense of the law in behalf of the National Consumers' League.

The brief which he filed in the Supreme Court was at that time considered revolutionary. It contained only four pages of strictly legal argument; but it did contain 605 pages going straight to the medical, social and economic facts involved. Instead of presenting legal precedents and abstract theories of right and wrong, Brandeis marshalled the scientific knowledge of the entire civilized world upon the subject of overwork. By a terrific array of evidence, he showed that workingwomen are sick far more often than men, that their mortality is higher and that in thousands of cases the child-bearing faculty is impaired; the moral hold of the home is lost; in districts where overwork has long existed actual race degeneration has set in. The Supreme Court's decision established the constitutionality of special protective legislation for women; and this was Brandeis' victory in behalf of the nation's millions of women factory workers.

In 1910 Brandeis was called in as arbitrator in the great cloakmakers' strike in New York, involving some 70,000 employes and a business of $180,000,000 a year. The strike was bitter, the men insisted upon the "closed shop," the employers were equally set against it. Upon this rock two attempts at conferences were shattered.

Then Brandeis was called in, the trust in him by both sides being an impressive example of his reputation for fairness. Out of the welter he evolved, by his own invention, the "preferential" shop, which was agreed upon by both employes and employers, and which brought peace to this trade. The preferential shop, in brief, is one where union standards as to conditions, hours and wages prevail; but in which the employers have freedom of selection as between one union man and another, it being recognized that there are differences of skill among those employed in the trade; and are bound, in hiring help, to no list or prescribed order.

The next job which Brandeis undertook is perhaps the most widely known of all his work in the people's service. As unpaid counsel for Glavis in the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy, in 1909, the Boston attorney, by the sheer force of his intellect, had the triumph of driving Ballinger out of public life, despite the strenuous support afforded to him by President Taft's administration.

In 1910-11 Brandeis was counsel for the trade organizations of the Atlantic coast at the hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission when the railroads asked permission to increase their freight rates. Brandeis opposed the increase, and his assertion that the railroads could save $1,000,000 a day by efficient management, and that the way for them to become more prosperous was to become more efficient, made the doctrine of efficiency a national ideal. The increase was denied.

His most recent work has been an investigation of the "Money Trust," the results of which are contained in a volume bearing the significant title: "Other People's Money and How the Bankers Use It." This book had a profound influence upon the currency legislation recently enacted by Congress. In it, for the first time, Brandeis effectively set forth the doctrine that there is a limit to the size of greatest efficiency, and the successful demonstration of that truth is an invaluable contribution to the subject of trusts

In the composition of his mind, Brandeis is said to combine in a harmonious whole an amazing grasp of the practical, together with the vision and imagination of the idealist. Even his great enemy, Charles S. Mellen, in an interview the day after the nomination, bore witness to Brandeis' exceptional moral qualities, and predicted that he would make a great Judge. As a practical man one of the most important elements of his mind is his comprehension of figures.

"Mr. Brandeis' greatness as a lawyer is part of his greatness as a mathematician." One of his own rules is: "Arithmetic is the first of sciences and the mother of safety."

Many of his successes have at bottom been triumphs of arithmetic. Five years before the Metropolitan Traction Co. of New York went into the hands of a receiver, he predicted its failure in a speech at Cooper Union. He had merely analyzed the published figures. In the same way he was able to prophesy the fall of the New Haven railroad.

Physically, Brandeis is described as being over middle height, with a rugged figure, slightly stooped. His face, with its high forehead, prominent cheek bones and heavy lines about his broad and sensitive mouth, gives an impression of great force.

He gives half of his time to public work without pay; his recreations are music and canoeing on the Charles River. For the last two years he has served as chairman of the Provisional Committee of the Zionist movement, the aim of which is to re-establish the Jews as a nation in Palestine. This position made him the leader of the movement in the United States: and since the war he has virtually been the world leader of the Zionists.

Vienna Is One Grand City

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New emigrants keep coming up. Quite a crowd of them are standing on the street now. Jews and women and little children.

I love to have a lot of people around. If the little children did not interrupt with their crying and their mammas did not swear at them and stop their mouths, it would be very jolly here.

They have opened the door, thank goodness! The emigrants make a dash to get in. It's choking. A creature appears at the door, without a hat, a red face and no beard, and begins to fling us all out one by one, like soup balls!

It took a long time before we got into the house, one by one. And here began the real excitement.

Father mine! Everybody wants to talk. Everybody squeezes right up to the tables. At the tables men are sitting with bare heads and no beards. They are laughing and smoking cigars. I don't know which one of them is the Alliance. My mamma doesn't know, either. She pushes right up to them and says:

"Tell me which one of you is the Alliance? I have had a misfortune. All my bedding was stolen from me at the border and my children and I were nearly killed. * * * Here they are—orphans, poor things. My husband died in his young years. He was a Cantor his whole life"——

They do not let her say another word. One grabs her by the shawl and shows her to the door. He speaks a language that is hard to understand. My mamma will not move a step until she gets her rights. She says:

"Why do you talk to me in German? Better talk to me in our own language, so I can tell you everything from my bitter heart. * * * Just tell me, which one of you here is the Alliance?"

"Mother, take my advice! Come, let us go. The Lord above has delivered us so far without the Alliance and without the city Vienna, so He will probably deliver us further. God is a father!"

So says my sister-in-law Brocha to my mamma. And my mamma answers:

"You are right, my child! Come, let us go! Vienna is a city, and God is a father."

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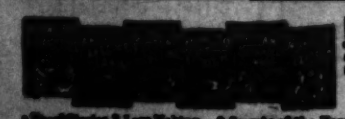


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From Immigrant's Son to U. S. Supreme Court



Aged 15. Aged 21. Aged 30. Aged 38.

LOUIS D. BRANDEIS FROM BOYHOOD TO MANHOOD

Romantic rise of Louis D. Brandeis, who for years has devoted half his time to public causes without pay — Won cheap gas for Boston, drove Ballinger out of public life, and wrecked Morgan dream of transportation monopoly in New England — Laid down principles for reform of big insurance companies, and exposed workings of "Money Trust"—A Jew, he is international leader of Zionist movement :: :: ::

WHAT manner of man is Louis Dembitz Brandeis, the Boston lawyer, whose nomination to the United States Supreme Court by President Wilson was probably the most dramatic appointment ever made in the history of that high tribunal? This is a question which few persons were able to answer offhand when the news of the President's unexpected selection sent a wave of astonishment across the country; for Brandeis, although widely known by name for his crusades against powerful interests, is too self-effacing to have permitted his personality to become familiar to the people. The purpose here is to reveal something of the career, the character and the mind of this distinguished son of Israel, who has won for his race in the United States an honor comparable in some degree to that achieved in England by D'Israeli and in Germany by Dr. Bernhard Dernberg.

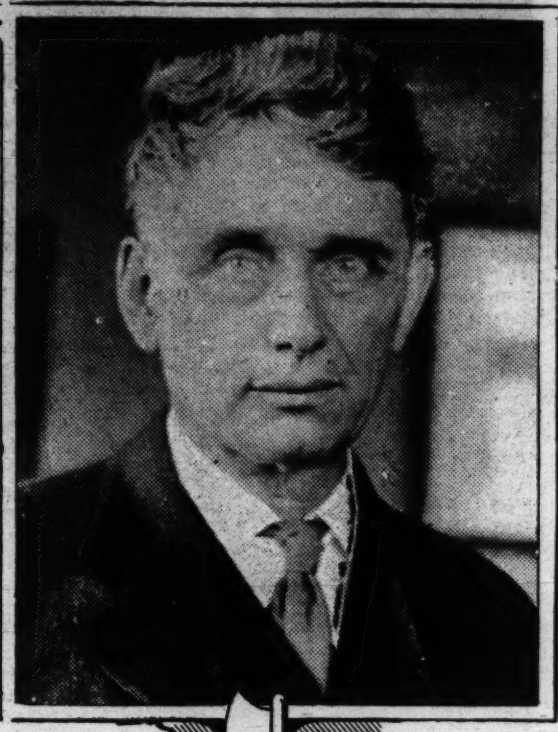
He was born at Louisville, Ky., on Nov. 13, 1856, and is therefore a few months past 59 years of age. For a century back his family was made up of men of means, education and social ideals. His father, a wealthy manufacturer of Prague, Bohemia, fled to this country after the collapse of the revolutionary movement in Bohemia during 1848, in which he was actively concerned. In this country the elder Brandeis became an ardent abolitionist in Kentucky before the Civil War.

Louis attended the Louisville public and high schools and then spent two years at the Annen Realschule in Dresden. His father wished him to remain in Germany and prepare for an academic career, but a reprimand from the German police because, going home late one night without his key, he whistled in the street to awaken his roommate, made him homesick for the United States, where he could whistle without violating the regulations of a paternal government.

In the panic of 1873 his father suffered heavy losses in business, and when the youth, at 18, determined to enter Harvard Law School, it was with the certainty of having to work his own way. This he accomplished by tutoring, with such industry that he not only paid his expenses but saved $1000, besides studying with an application so intense that he completed the course in two years. The authorities suspended the rules to permit his graduation at the age of 20; but he did his eyes an injury from which they have never fully recovered.

His first practice was in St. Louis, where he obtained a place in the office of the late James Taussig, a leading attorney of that time, who had known him from boyhood and had followed his remarkable success at Harvard. Another tie with St. Louis was that Brandeis' sister was the first wife of Charles Nagel of this city, who was Secretary of Commerce and Labor in President Taft's Cabinet. He remained in St. Louis for a year, and then went to Boston as a member of the firm of Warren & Brandeis.

By the time he was 30 his practice was large, and it his since grown into one of the most lucrative in New England. "I had my share of big corporation work," he said in an interview a few years ago. "I even worked for a trust or two. Perhaps that is one reason I am not a corporation lawyer now." From the first he preferred to be known as having clients instead of being "somebody's lawyer."



Louis D. Brandeis, as he is today.



Mrs. Louis D. Brandeis.

Brandeis' Favorite Poem

HE is fond of quoting the following lines from Euripides, written more than 2000 years ago:

Thou hast heard men scorn thy city, call her wild
Of counsel, mad; thou hast seen the fire of morn
Flash from her eyes in answer to their scorn!
Come toil on toil, 'tis this that makes her grand,
Peril on peril! And common states that stand
In caution, twilight cities, dimly wise—
Ye know them, for no light is in their eyes!
Go forth, my son, and help!

At an early date his bent towards the study of social problems manifested itself, taking the form first of charity work. He served an apprenticeship by acting on his district committee, visiting in person the applicants for relief. This work opened out wider and wider horizons; in the late '80s he was acting as counsel in a movement to reform certain State relief institutions.

By the time of his marriage in 1891 to Miss Alice Goldmark of New York, he had come to a resolution, his wife being in hearty accord, which is probably novel among the able men of the country. Though he was rapidly on the way to becoming a rich man, he determined to employ his earning power for the purpose of obtaining the leisure and money necessary for giving, free of charge, a large part of his energies to the service of the public. Despite his large income, he and his wife still live in the simple house and on the same economical scale with which they began life together 25 years ago; and this self-denial has enabled him to make the true assertion that, in all the great cases he has handled in behalf of the people, he has never accepted one cent of fees.

His disinterested devotion to the public good first came conspicuously to light in 1896, when he became the counsel of a handful of citizens opposing the West End Co., which controlled the surface street car lines of Boston, and which was supported by the big financial interests, the political machine and the press. The trolley company wished to lease the Tremont street subway, built by the city, for a long term of years, at a low rate of rental to the city. Brandeis was admittedly the brains of the fight and won a complete victory, the lease being reduced to 20 years and rental made 4 7-8 per cent of the cost of construction.

"When I asked Mr. Brandeis for his bill," relates the man at the head of the committee which retained him, "I expected to pay a fee of $5000 at least. 'There is no fee,' he said. 'This is part of a plan of mine.' And he added that as soon as he could do so he intended to give the larger part of his time freely to public work."

In view of the point at which Brandeis has arrived, there was something grimly humorous as well as strikingly illustrative of the change which has come over public opinion in the last 20 years, in his appearance for the first time at Washington. In 1897 he awakened the guffaws of the statesmen by appearing solitary and alone at the

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Brandeis on the Courts

(Extracts from an interview in 1911.)

I BELIEVE that our Judges are as honest as you can make men. But like all the rest of us they are subject to their environment. And the law has always been a narrowing, conservatizing profession.

What we must do in America is not to attack our Judges, but to educate them. All Judges should be made to feel, as many Judges already do, that the things needed to protect liberty are radically different from what they were 50 years ago.

In some courts the Judges' conceptions of their own powers must change. Some Judges have declared a law unconstitutional simply because they considered the law unwise. They should be made to feel that they have no such right.

In the past the courts have reached their conclusions largely deductively from preconceived notions and precedents. The method I have tried to employ in arguing cases before them has been inductive, reasoning from the facts.

In general, I believe that the courts and the people have been too far apart.

The aspirations of the people must have adequate legal expression. Otherwise we shall have a revolt. The whole industrial world is in a state of ferment.

The people are beginning to doubt whether there is really a justification for the great inequalities in the distribution of wealth. This movement must necessarily progress. It lies with our lawyers to say what lines that progress shall take: wisely and temperately or wildly and intemperately; on lines of evolution or lines of revolution.

Sayings by Brandeis

LONG ago monarchs invented, as a preservative of absolutism, the fiction of "the divine right of kings." Bankers, imitating royalty, invented recently that precious rule of so-called "ethics," by which it is declared unprofessional to come to the financial relief of any corporation which is already the prey of another "reputable" banker.

Vast fortunes like those of the Astors are no doubt regrettable. They are inconsistent with democracy. They are unsocial. They seem peculiarly unjust when they represent largely unearned increment. But the wealth of the Astors does not endanger political or industrial liberty. * * * The Astor wealth is static. The wealth of the Morgan associates is dynamic.

The function of a bank is to receive and loan money. It has no more right than a common carrier to use its powers specifically to build up or to destroy other business.

Is it not probable that, if each investor knew the extent to which the security he buys from the banker is diluted by excessive underwritings, commissions and profits, there would be a strike of capital against these unjust exactions?

There are thousands of men in America who could have performed for the New Haven stockholders the task of director better than did Mr. Morgan, Mr. Baker and Mr. Rockefeller.

We must break the Money Trust or the Money Trust will break us.

—Extracts from his book, "Other People's Money and How the Bankers Use It."

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The Coughing Horror

"Quite mistaken, sir," replied the shopman, raising his black eyebrows ever so slightly; "a mistake possibly due to a reflection in the window. Will you take a look around now that you are here?"

"Thank you," I replied, staring him hard in the face: "at some other time."

I turned and quitted the shop abruptly. Either I was . . . that small hand with the outstretched forward fingers.

The unknown possesses unique terrors; and since I was unable to conceive what manner of thing this could be, which extending its incredibly long arms, now sought the throat of the man upon the bed, I tasted of that sort of terror which ordinarily one knows only in dreams.

paid comparatively little attention?

There was a great stirring all about me. "Smith!" I cried from the window; "Smith, for God's sake where are you?" Footsteps came racing up the stairs. Behind me the door burst open and Nayland Smith stumbled into the room.

"Thunder!" he said, and started back in the doorway.

Wrestlers Disagree as to the Secret of Strength

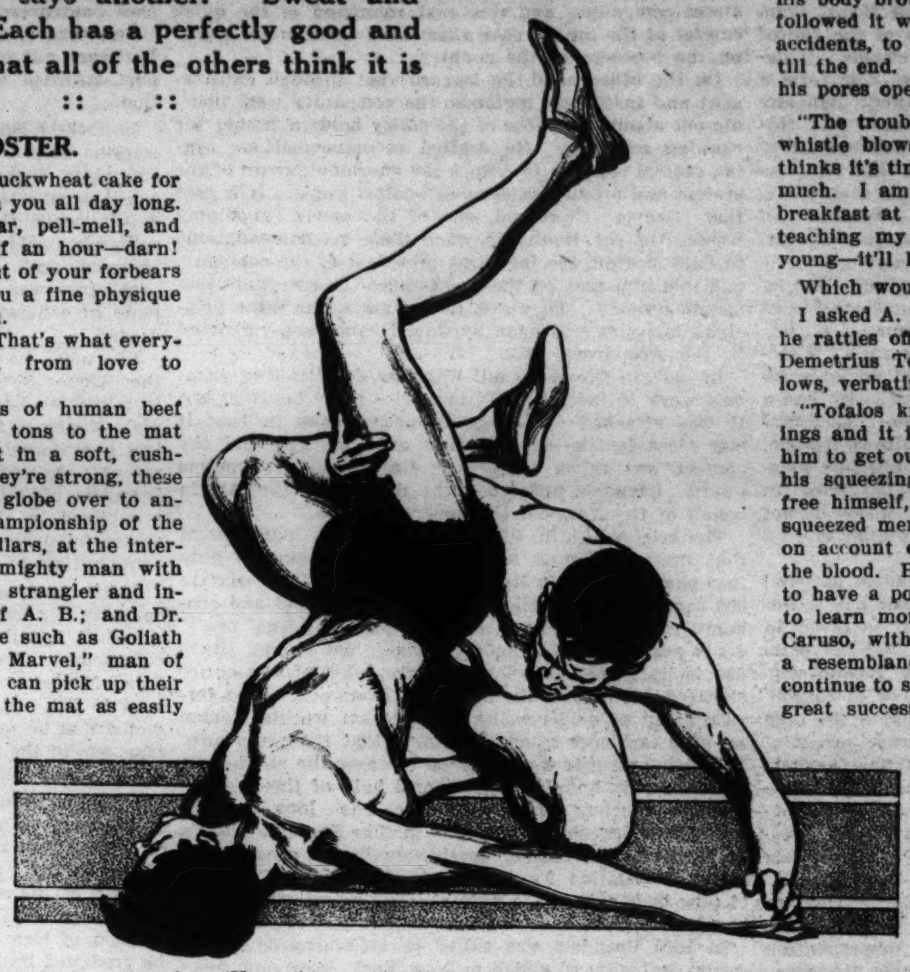
"Eat!" says one. "Fast!" says another. "Sweat and bathe!" urges a third—Each has a perfectly good and reliable system except that all of the others think it is worthless and unreliable :: ::

By REGINALD L. FOSTER.

YOU dispose of an extra buckwheat cake for breakfast and it's with you all day long. You rush for your car, pell-mell, and you're winded for half an hour—darn! Perhaps you take it out of your forbears for not having left you a fine physique and a sturdy digestion.

(Blame it on your ancestors, sure! That's what everybody does these days, in everything, from love to money.)

That same night 20 straining tons of human beef struggle and grunt, putting 20 other tons to the mat with more or less dispatch. You sit in a soft, cushioned orchestra chair and despair. They're strong, these wrestlers who've come from half the globe over to annex (if they can) the strong-arm championship of the world, plus some goodly American dollars, at the international bouts. There's Aberg, the mighty man with the arms like a woman's; and Lewis, strangler and intellectual, with the college degree of A. B.; and Dr. Roller, the physician with a physique such as Goliath might have had; and "The Masked Marvel," man of much mystery—and others, why, they can pick up their rivals—sometimes—and slap them to the mat as easily as you swat a fly.



And you ask yourself: "Why are they strong and not I?"—and do the asking with a deal of impatience at fate and fortune.

What's the secret of strength, anyway?

Is it born? Or is it made? Do you achieve it by patience or by luck? Possessing it, how much can you increase it? Or, having won it, how can you make it hold out for long-continued periods without fading away as did Samson's when Delilah cut his yellow hair—or was it chestnut in hue?

I asked some of these mat mammoths to tell me of their secrets. If I had meant to generalize I had missed the mark utterly, for no two told the same. There is nothing to deduce. In fact, it holds out much comfort to those who would go and do likewise, for there is a multiplicity of ways to be brawny and big—count 'em. Then take your pick.

Now, there's Zbysko. You'd never think to look at this 235 pounds of physical perfection, delicately browned like fine meerschaum, that the man was once a weakling—an ash-hued youth with lungs that didn't function. "I had hemorrhages after a couple of attacks of pneumonia, and I was due to die pretty soon," was what he said to me, as his sable rubber kneaded his glistening flesh after he had downed the sinuous Irsa, who writhes on the mat like a boa constrictor. It took him 52 minutes of effort.

"Yes," he added, ruminatively, "I don't seem able yet to figure it out how I managed to live. I hated sport back in the old country" (Zbysko's from Cracow, in Galicia). "I was a bad scholar into the bargain; I couldn't learn, and I was always getting what we called a 'bad note home.'"

The big Austrian was getting moody and blue right on the heels of his well-won triumph, merely thinking of his close squeak with the Reaper. Then came to him what he realized afterwards was the secret of strength—ambition.

"Yes, I got ambition to be strong," said he, with the authority that strength gives anybody. "That gave me energy. I had heard someone say, 'He's gone already!' and I made up my mind not to go. You can do anything with ambition. I worked out of doors and I exercised in the gymnasium. At 18 I was a regular wrestler. At 22 I'm not afraid of anyone. When I get through the finish of this tournament is going to be in my favor."

"Why?" I queried.

"I've enough ambition," he answered, simply.

"That all?"

"Well, I don't eat too much. Only three or four meals a day!"

Helmar Johnson, the mild-mannered Swede who can pick up the average man between his thumb and forefinger and slam him to the floor as you might flop down a wet bathing suit, told me he was only a peanut of a boy. At 19 he weighed 135 pounds and nobody fancied him for anything. But he got the athletic bug and joined a club. And he stuck to it—it wasn't just the fad of the moment.

"In two years," he ran on, "I weighed 175 pounds—instead of athletics taking off fat, it put it on. I never dreamed of becoming a professional strong man, though, until I found I was getting stronger every day just from the fact that I took regular exercise. Then I found out the secret—Mother Nature gives you the body and it's up to you to work with it. Any man, if he hasn't some constitutional defect, can add 25 per cent to his strength by regular exercise. Cut out tea and coffee. No beer; no liquor, of course. Smoking—bah! Regular hours and a clean mind—it's easy."

"How about eating?" I ventured.

"Anything you like. If your stomach digests it, then it's good for you," answered the man who has put 22 of his rivals to the mat since the tournament began.

Fine!

"Walk a mile before each meal—and then don't eat it!"

Now I was sure stumped. After Johnson, so pink and fined down, that his 204 pounds looked like 165 under his civilian clothes—and his "eat-all-you-want" dictum—here was a facer from George Bothner, than whom—why, you must know the rest. At 49 he's a star, and he wrestling these 35 years. Only the other night, just for fun, he matted the 230 pounds of vigorous Vogel in precisely four minutes by the clock.

And "Keep your pores open!" from this veteran exemplar of the manly virtuosities.

"There are two kinds of strong men," said Bothner, with the authority of experience, "the man who inherits strength and the man who develops it. It is not the same with both. You can take a weakling and put him through a course of sprouts in a gymnasium and make a wonderfully strong man of him, but something isn't there—he hasn't the endurance. There was Sam Liebgold, the champion walker. He was run over by an ice wagon when he was a kid and crippled by the accident. The doctor made him go to a gymnasium and walk and run a lot to get back the use of his injured legs. And he got to be the best walker in the world. That is developed strength, a sort of artificial strength. But the man who gets his for an inheritance, all other things being equal, has a big advantage. His is natural; it carries endurance with it. If it comes to a showdown between two, equally strong, the man with the inherent brawn will outlast the man with the developed strength.

"I inherited mine from the old gentleman—he was some gymnast," and Bothner's clear eye fired with pride at the recollection of his father's prowess transmitted to him. "I set out to make the most of it, and I kept at it—I've only been out of a gymnasium 10 weeks since I was 13 years old, and then it was a broken leg that detained me."

And then he lapsed into the high-brow idea expressed popularly in "Sweat and be strong!"

"Ponce de Leon," declared Bothner, harking back to history, "spent the best years of his life chasing all over the world to find the fountain of youth and didn't find it. If he had trained hard for 15 minutes every day with calisthenics or any other form of exercise until his body broke out into profuse perspiration, and then followed it with a bath, he would have lived, barring accidents, to a ripe old age and been beautifully strong till the end. Why, any man can be strong if he'll keep his pores open, and not eat so much.

"The trouble is, a man grabs his hat every time the whistle blows and rushes to a restaurant, because he thinks it's time to eat. Brain workers eat altogether too much. I am exercising all the time, but all I have is breakfast at 9 and dinner at 7. Between whistles I'm teaching my pupils how to wrestle. That keeps me young—it'll keep you."

Which would be very desirable just now.

I asked A. L. Kontarinis to put down in English what he rattles off so volubly in his native Athenian about Demetrius Tofalos, "The Terrible Greek." Here it follows, verbatim:

"Tofalos known and uses in wrestling terrible holdings and it is very difficult to any one wrestling with him to get out of such a tightening, because so strong is his squeezing that his opponent, once gotten, cannot free himself, not only but after the match is over the squeezed members of his body are entirely unconscious on account of the discontinuance of the circulation of the blood. Besides these wonderful gifts Tofalos proved to have a powerful and sweet tenor voice and continue to learn more songs which sings in the same tune of Caruso, with the voice of whom his has so wonderful a resemblance that I am inclined to believe, that if continue to study music, very soon will continue to have great success.

"Tofalos eat more fish and vegetable than meat, sleeps seven hours, never drinks but fresh water and has special preference for the bath."

Don't laugh. This Greek, who put me in mind of a big, slippery football endowed with human brains and superhuman strength, is one of the strongest men on the mat today. Given science (which is not all his, yet) and he would extend the best of them, every time. He is a mass of meat and muscle. But he doesn't know all the tricks of the trade yet, which is the saving of some of the stars. He can lift 253 pounds with one hand, and 362 with both.

However, Tofalos was born to it. He says that's the only way he could have done it.

The last time I popped an eye on Sulo Hevonpaa, the Brobdignag Finn, he was seizing a big crockery pitcher, the which to bean a fellow student of mat work who had taunted him into a temper. But Aberg, the gentle giant, seized him in the nick of time to save the spilling of a set of brains.

"That's just it," complained Sulo. "I can't keep cool or I'd walk away with the belt. With the rest of them it's tea or coffee—or worse—but my affliction is because I had a fever in India which knocked out my nerves."

Which is true. Only Hevonpaa's lack of control keeps him from the top notch. His strength is born in him. He believes you've got to have it to start with.

"And then begin young," he will tell you, as he told me, "and work like the deuce, all the time."

At the tender age of 10 years George Lurich was suspended from the school gymnasium because he was too weakly to work. His lungs were out of kilter and his poor mother was tearfully making up her mind that he was not long for this world. Today, at 37, he is one of the greatest wrestlers of the world.

"I developed every bit of my strength," he told me, "and if I could, anybody could. I was so weak that I was the butt of every little bully in the school. I got mad and made up my mind I was going to fight them, and I worked so hard and got strong so fast that before long all the boys were my friends—they were afraid to fight me and I was afraid to hit them for fear I might kill somebody. I was too good for the whole school."

There's a story for the hopeless. And here's the recipe:

"Don't box, don't skate, don't fence, don't row, don't ride a bicycle—they're no good, because they develop one set of muscles at the expense of another. But wrestle. Then you develop them all. Don't try to work off fat; if you lose weight it's a sign you're getting weaker. Your muscles dry up—you become like a machine without oil."

Ah, here's comfort for the perpetually obese! And now for a little philosophy as it fell from the lips of Lurich, who has both science and strength, to say nothing of a lot of psychological lore stowed away in the back of his smiling face:

"Our enemy makes us strong." Some high-brow thought here, what? And, "Your friend only tells you what you can do; your enemy strikes at what you can't do until you have to do it. The man who attacks your weakest point develops that point, and eventually makes it strong. I have been made strong by those who showed me my weakness. And to have endurance you must have intelligence."

Which may, or may not, be fine advice, from a man who is the personification of brute force, plus an intimate knowledge of the finer points of the human anatomy.

"Aw-r," growled Linow, 6 feet 4 of fighting, burly Cossack. "Dig in the fields. I did. And eat raw meat. I do. Or, a fish, if you like."

But then, Linow is frankly low-brow, with a cauliflower ear.

RECENT CONGRESS OF NOTED WRESTLERS



Left to right, starting at the top—Finke, Fuerst, Wagner, Hevonpaa, Christiansen, Bou[illegible]; Lupo, Ress, Litofsky, Schilling, Maskut, Delivuk, Draak, Daro, Alvarez, Asam, Hussane, Lossen, Linow, McGrath, Lundin, Irsa, Pospishil, Le Coldsse, Mohl, Tofalos, Dr. Roller, Olsen, Zbysko, Johnson, Cutler, Aberg, Balsa, Lurich, Gardini.

From Immigrant's Son to U. S. Supreme Court

St. Louis Poet-Marine's 12,000-Mile Wooing



Corporal Blackstone's verses of homesickness for mother and her pumpkin pies traversed Pacific Ocean from Pekin to Texas and pierced heart of Miss Coral McAdams, who wrote letter of sympathy — Long-distance correspondence and exchange of photographs followed — Then "Poet Laureate of Marines" appeared in person, and there will be a wedding in June :: ::

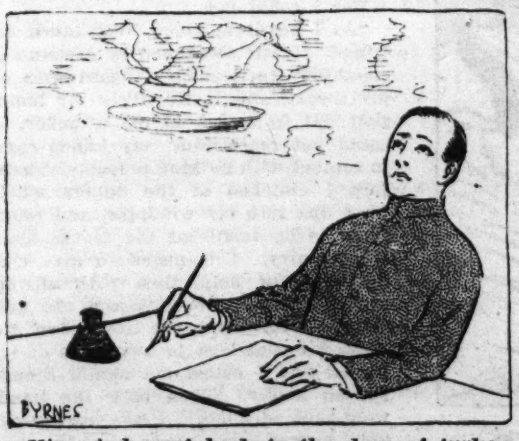
WITHOUT venturing to commit one's self concerning the ultimate literary appraisal of the verses of Corporal Angus Blackstone, U. S. A., called the "Poet Laureate of the Marines," it is safe to assert that in one respect he has Shakspeare beaten to a frazzle. The latter's "Sonnets" are a long lament that while his muse could confer immortality upon the dark lady of his love, it could not win her heart for the poet. Corporal Blackstone's doggerel may not make the name of the girl of his dreams live forever, but it has got results much more important and satisfactory to the bard himself it has won for the verse-writing marine her promise of love and faith until death do them part.

This lyrical romance is revealed by the announcement of Corporal Blackstone's engagement to Miss Coral McAdams of Walnut Grove, Tex. They are to be married in June, the month of poesy and honeymoons. He formerly lived in St. Louis with his mother, Mrs. Sophonia Blackstone, who was employed until recently at the Girls' Industrial Home, 5501 Von Versen avenue.



Miss Coral McAdams of Walnut Grove, Tex., who became acquainted with the "Kipling of the Marines" through a poem in a Texas newspaper while he was in the Philippine Islands and who will soon become his wife.

About four years ago a poem came to Blackstone's hands, which not only interested him as an amateur versifier, but fascinated him by the life it pictured. It ran:



His mind went back to the days of turkey and pumpkin pie in St. Louis.

Suppose we get word of a rumpus the consul's unable
to buck,
That the Greaser is trying to hump us, or the Boxer is
running amuck;
That the Cuban falls down on his solo, the Liberian's
caught in a jam;
That the Moro is out with his bolo, and it's up to your
Uncle Sam.
What then? Oh, just send the Marines—
Give them their guns and a handful of beans;
Back out the transport and turn her around,
And the devil a cheer for the outward bound.
Panama to Pekin, it's all on their beat.
Sweating in sunshine, or shaking in sleet.

With these thrilling lines to inspire him, Blackstone enlisted in the United States Marines, and soon afterwards was dispatched on the transport Logan to the Philippines. Afterwards he wrote of the day of his departure and its omen for his future activities in this wise:

I came aboard the Logan on a day I can't forget,
With my rifle and my clothing, everything I had was wet.
And my knapsack was so heavy it made my shoulders
wince,
But I kept right on a-moving—I've been moving ever
since.

Also, in serving with his comrades in the Philippines and later in China, he gained a high idea of Uncle Sam's marine, which he voiced in these lilting lines:

He's a khaki-colored cyclone, with the lightning in his
heart;
And he never yet has turned his back nor played the
coward's part.
He's honored by the title of a soldier and a man—
He is Uncle Samuel's nephew, and he's all American.

About a year after entering the service, Blackstone one night stood guard in the Philippines while rain beat down in a penetrating flood. Many a marine would have expressed his emotions in language too perfervid to print, but not so the rhyming hero of this tale. The pelting of the rain stirred meters to pulsing in his mind; the chill, dark night brought memories of his mother, and particularly—as our poet belongs to the realistic school—fond recollections of the pumpkin pies she used to bake. So, while the rain beat upon him this unusual sentinel composed some stanzas beginning:

I'm far away from thee, mother;
No kindred near me now,
To soothe me with a tender word
Or cool my burning brow.
The dearest ties affection wove
Are all now torn from me.
They left me when the time came—
They did not love as thee.

The verses then shift to a tender lament for the maternal pies fabricated from the luscious pumpkin. The judicious will grieve for this lapse into homely thought, and also for a few crippled feet and even a lapse of grammar; and will point out that the poet, drenched by a cold rain, pushed even poetic license too far when he wrote of his "burning brow."

But these minutae of criticism were unimportant to Miss McAdams, who, reading the verses in a Texas newspaper, saw only that here was a homesick youth, far away in a strange land, longing for his mother and especially for her pies. Tragedies of unsatisfied hunger in a man always stir a woman's deepest emotions of sympathy; so Miss McAdams sat her down with pen in hand and indited a friendly, pitying letter to the distant bard.

The letter traveled several thousands of miles to find him and let him know that far away, at home, his verse had won him a friend. He replied the same day with a letter of thanks. Other letters and then photographs passed across the Pacific, and in one Blackstone enclosed the lines:

And who's the fairest of the fair?
Why, hang me if I know—
Sometimes I think she lives in France,
Sometimes in Vallejo.
But take 'em North, and take 'em South,
And take 'em East and West—
Of all the girls in all the world
The Texas girls are best!

This correspondence awakened a serious purpose in Blackstone's character. Hitherto he had been content to be a gay and dashing young marine, dashing off verses for his comrades and giving no thought to the morrow. Now he saw that he must earn promotion, and applied himself with such purpose that he won a good conduct medal and an expert rifleman's medal, and promotion to lance corporal and then rank corporal.

A few months ago he obtained leave of absence to return to the States. He was at the time acting as a guard at the American Legation in Pekin. One purpose was in his mind—to make the 12,000-mile trip from Pekin to Walnut Grove, and there urge his suit to the Texas girl who took pity on him when he was lonely and hungry for home-made pumpkin pie.

His exultation when his ship drew out of the Chinese harbor is reflected in the verses written at the time:

But I'll soon be home again—
They've hauled in the gangplank, the breast-line crawls
back;
It's "Port and hard over!" and out through the black
Of the storm and the night, and across the mouth
Of the harbor, where, stretching far to the South,
Run the lights of the town,
swinging slowly we turn,
Heading out for mid-ocean, past
the long pier where burn
The red harbor lights, where the
great billows churn,
Blow on blow, on the spiles, spilling down the white foam—
And I've written the folks that
I'm coming home.



"I came aboard the Logan on a day I can't forget."

He suffered a blow when he reached San Francisco, where he was ordered to go on duty as a guard at the Exposition. This service delayed him for two long months, but when it was up he took the first train for Walnut Grove. There he spent a week, and at the end could boast of a greater poetic triumph than Shakspeare and many another great genius were able to encompass—his verses had won for him the love of the girl to whom he aspired.

As he returned to San Francisco on his way back to China, a friend in Fort Worth asked him if Miss McAdams measured up to all her letters and photograph had led him to expect.

"All I expected!" he exclaimed with the fervor of a poet and a lover. "If my expectations of heaven prove up half as well, I shall be content!"

In Pekin he will apply for a transfer to duty at home in the same service, and on June 1, if all goes well, Miss Coral McAdams will confess anew the power of poesy by changing her name to Mrs. Angus Blackstone.



Corporal Angus Blackstone, the Kipling of the U. S. Marines, formerly of 5501 Von Versen avenue, St. Louis.

Shoulder-Operated Artificial Limbs

TO those unfortunates who have been deprived of their hands and arms through accident or otherwise, it would appear that aid in the form of artificial limbs is about to be realized. At least, the artificial limbs invented by William T. Carnes—an American who, some 12 years ago, lost his arm while operating a milling machine in a Pittsburg shop and devised the improved artificial limbs during his convalescence—emulate the natural ones to such a striking degree that the handicap heretofore suffered by cripples is materially reduced.

An artificial arm invented by Mr. Carnes was recently exhibited at the International Surgical Congress held in New York, and the dexterity with which its wearer was able to perform different tasks was little short of a revelation. The artificial limb permits of the performance of all ordinary tasks, including the drinking of a glass of water, buttoning of shoes, tipping one's hat and, as an extreme example of its practicality, the carrying of a satchel weighing about 30 pounds.

Wrestlers Disagree as to the Secret of Strength

"Eat!" says one. "Fast!" says another. "Sweat and bathe!" urges a third—Each has a perfectly good and reliable system except that all of the others think it is worthless and unreliable. . . .

his body broke out into profuse perspiration, and then followed it with a bath, he would have lived, barring accidents, to a ripe old age and been beautifully strong till the end. Why, any man can be strong if he'll keep his pores open, and not eat so much.

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"Quite mistaken, sir," replied the shopman, raising his black eyebrows ever so slightly; "a mistake possibly due to a reflection in the window. Will you take a look around now that you are here?"

"Thank you," I replied, staring him hard in the face; "at some other time."

I turned and quitted the shop abruptly. Either I was mad, or Karamaneh was concealed somewhere therein. However, realizing my helplessness in the matter, I contented myself with making a mental note of the name which appeared above the establishment—J. Salaman—and walked on, my mind in a chaotic condition and my heart beating with unusual rapidity.

Within my view, from the corner of the room where I sat in deepest shadow, through the partly opened window (it was screwed, like our own) were rows of glass houses gleaming in the moonlight, and, beyond them, orderly ranks of flower beds extended into a blue haze of distance. By reason of the moon's position, no light entered the room, but my eyes, from long watching, were grown familiar with the darkness, and I could see Burke quite clearly as he lay in the bed between my post and the window. I seemed to be back again in those days of the troubled past when first Nayland Smith and I had come to grips with the servants of Dr. Fu-Manchu. A more peaceful scene than this flower-planted corner of Essex it would be difficult to imagine; but, either because of my knowledge that its peace was chimerical, or because of that outflung consciousness of danger which, actually, or in my imagination, preceded the coming of the Chinaman's agents, to my seeming the silence throbbed electrically and the night was laden with stilly omens.

Already cramped by my journey in the market cart, I found it difficult to remain very long in any one position. What information had Burke to sell? He had refused, for some reason, to discuss the matter of that evening, and now, enacting the part allotted him by Nayland Smith, he feigned sleep consistently, although at intervals he would whisper to me his doubts and fears.

All the chances were in our favor tonight; for while I could not doubt that Dr. Fu-Manchu was set upon the removal of the ex-officer of New York police, neither could I doubt that our presence at the farm was unknown to the agents of the Chinaman. According to Burke, constant attempts had been made to achieve Fu-Manchu's purpose, and had only been frustrated by his (Burke's) wakefulness. There was every probability that another attempt would be made tonight.

Any one who has been forced by circumstance to undertake such a vigil as this will be familiar with the marked changes (corresponding with phases of the earth's movement) which take place in the atmosphere at midnight, at 2 o'clock, and again at 4 o'clock. During those four hours falls a period wherein all life is at its lowest ebb, and every physician is aware that there is a greater likelihood of a patient's passing between midnight and 4 a. m. than at any other period during the cycle of the hours.

Tonight I became specially aware of this lowering of vitality, and now, with the night at that darkest phase which precedes the dawn, an indescribable dread, such as I had known before in my dealing with the Chinaman, assailed me, when I was least prepared to combat it. The stillness was intense. Then: "Here it is!" whispered Burke from the bed.

The chill at the very center of my being, which but corresponded with the chill of all surrounding nature at that hour, became intensified, keener, at the whispered words.

I rose stealthily out of my chair, and from my nest of shadows watched—watched intently, the bright oblong of the window. * * *

Without the slightest heralding sound—a black silhouette crept up against the pane * * * the silhouette of a small, malformed head, a doglike head, deep set in square shoulders. Malignant eyes peered intently in. Higher it rose—that wicked head—against the window, then crouched down on the sill and became less sharply defined as the creature stooped to the opening below. There was a faint sound of sniffing.

Judging from the stark horror which I experienced myself, I doubted now if Burke could sustain the role allotted him. In beneath the slightly raised window came a hand, perceptible to me despite the darkness of the roof. It seemed to project from the black silhouette outside the pane to be thrust forward—and forward—and forward * * * that small hand with the outstretched fingers.

The unknown possesses unique terrors; and since I was unable to conceive what manner of thing this could be, which extending its incredibly long arms, now sought the throat of the man upon the bed, I tasted of that sort of terror which ordinarily one knows only in dreams.

"Quick, sir—quick!" screamed Burke, starting up from the pillow. The questing hands had reached his throat!

Choking down an urgent dread that I had of touching the thing which had reached through the window to kill the sleeper, I sprang across the room and grasped the rigid, hairy forearms.

Heavens! Never have I felt such muscles, such tendons as those beneath the hirsute skin! They seemed to be of steel wire, and with a sudden frightful sensation of impotence, I realized that I was as powerless as a child to relax that strangle hold. Burke was making the most frightful sounds and quite obviously was being asphyxiated before my eyes! "Smith!" I cried. "Smith! Help! Help! for God's sake!"

Despite the confusion of my mind I became aware of sounds outside and below me. Twice the thing at the window coughed; there was an incessant, lashlike cracking, then some shouted words which I was unable to make out; and finally the staccato report of a pistol.

Snarling like that of a wild beast came from the creature with the hairy arms, and renewed coughing. But the steel grip relaxed not one iota. I realized two things—the first, that in my terror at the suddenness of the attack I had omitted to act as prearranged; the second, that I had discredited the strength of the visitant, while Smith had foreseen it.

Desisting in my vain endeavor to pit my strength against that of the nameless thing, I sprang back across the room and took up the weapon which had been left in my charge earlier in the night, but which I had been unable to believe it would be necessary to employ. This was a sharp and heavy ax, which Nayland Smith, when I had met him in Covent Garden, had specially brought with him, to the great amazement of Weymouth and myself.

As I leaped back to the window and uplifted this primitive weapon, a second shot sounded from below, and more fierce snarling, coughing and guttural mutterings assailed my ears from beyond the pane.

Lifting the heavy blade, I brought it down with all my strength upon the nearer of those hairy arms where it crossed the window ledge, severing muscle, tendon and bone as easily as a knife might cut cheese. * * *

A shriek—a shriek neither human nor animal, but grewsomely compounded of both—followed * * * and merged into a choking cough. Like a flash the other shaggy arm was withdrawn, and some vaguely seen body went rolling down the sloping red tiles and crashed on to the ground beneath.

With a second piercing shriek, louder than that recently uttered by Burke, wailing through the night from somewhere below, I turned desperately to the man on the bed, who now was become significantly silent. A candle with matches stood upon a table hard by, and, my fingers far from steady, I set about obtaining a light. This accomplished, I stood the candle upon the little chest of drawers and returned to Burke's side. "Merciful God!" I cried.

Of all the pictures which remain in my memory, some of them dark enough, I can find none more horrible than that which now confronted me in the dim candlelight. Burke lay crosswise on the bed, his head thrown back and sagging; one rigid hand he held in the air and with the other grasped the hairy forearm which I had severed with the ax; for, in a death grip, the dead fingers were still fastened, viselike at his throat.

His face was nearly black, and his eyes projected from their sockets horribly. Mastering my repugnance, I seized the hideous piece of bleeding anatomy and strove to release it. It defied all my efforts; in death it was as implacable as in life: I took a knife from my pocket, and, tendon by tendon, cut away that uncanny grip from Burke's throat.

But my labor was in vain. Burke was dead!

I think I failed to realize this for some time. My clothes were sticking clammily to my body; I was bathed in perspiration, and, shaking furiously, I clutched at the edge of the window, avoiding the bloody patch upon the ledge, and looked out over the roofs to where, in the more distant plantations, I could hear excited voices. What had been the meaning of that scream which I had heard but to which in my frantic state of mind I had paid comparatively little attention?

There was a great stirring all about me. "Smith!" I cried from the window; "Smith, for God's sake where are you?" Footsteps came racing up the stairs. Behind me the door burst open and Nayland Smith stumbled into the room.

"Thunder!" he said, and started back in the doorway.

"Have you got it, Smith?" I demanded hoarsely. In safety's name what is it—what is it?"

"Come downstairs," replied Smith quietly, "and see for yourself." He turned his head aside from the bed.

Very unsteadily I followed him down the stairs and through the rambling old house out into the stone-paved courtyard. There were figures moving at the end of a long alleyway between the glass houses, and one, carrying a lantern, stooped over something which lay upon the ground.

"That's Burke's cousin with the lantern," whispered Smith in my ear; "don't tell him yet."

I nodded, and we hurried up to join the group. I found myself looking down at one of those thickset Burmans whom I always associated with Fu-Manchu's activities. He lay quite flat, face downward; but the back of his head was a shapeless blood-clotted mass, and a heavy stock whip, the butt end ghastly because of the blood and hair which clung to it, lay beside him. I started back appalled as Smith caught my arm.

"It turned on its keeper!" he hissed in my ear. "I wounded it twice from below, and you severed one arm; in its insensate fury, its unreasoning malignity, it returned—and there lies its second victim." * * *

"Then"——

"It's gone, Petrie! It has the strength of four men even now. Look!"

He stooped, and from the clenched left hand of the dead Burman extracted a piece of paper and opened it.

"Hold the lantern a moment," he said.

In the yellow light he glanced at the scrap of paper.

"As I expected—a leaf of Burke's notebook; it worked by scent." He turned to me with an odd expression in his gray eyes. "I wonder what piece of my personal property Fu-Manchu has pilfered," he said, "in order to enable it to sleuth me?"

Smith met the gaze of the man holding the lantern. "Perhaps you had better return to the house," he said, looking him squarely in the eyes.

The other's face blanched. "You don't mean, sir—you don't mean"——

"Brace up!" said Smith, laying his hand upon his shoulder. "Remember—he chose to play with fire!"

One wild look the man cast from Smith to me, then went off, staggering, toward the farm. "Smith," I began.

He turned to me with an impatient gesture. "Weymouth has driven into Upminster," he snapped, "and the whole district will be scoured before morning. They probably motored here, but the sound of the shots will have enabled whoever was with the car to make good his escape. And—exhausted from loss of blood, its capture is only a matter of time, Petrie."

Nayland Smith returned from the telephone. Nearly 24 hours had elapsed since the awful death of Burke. "No news, Petrie," he said shortly. "It must have crept into some inaccessible hole to die."

I glanced up from my notes. Smith settled into the white cane armchair and began to surround himself with clouds of aromatic smoke. I took up a half sheet of foolscap covered with penciled writing in my friend's cramped characters, and transcribed the following, in order to complete my account of the latest Fu-Manchu outrage:

"The Amahrun, a Semitic tribe allied to the Falashas, who have been settled for many generations in the southern province of Shoa (Abyssinia) have been regarded as unclean and outcast, apparently since the days of Menelek—son of Suleyman and the Queen of Sheba—from whom they claim descent. Apart from their custom of eating meat cut from living beasts, they are accursed because of their alleged association with the Cyncephalus hamadryas (sacred baboon). I myself was taken to a hut on the banks of the Hawash and shown a creature * * * whose predominant trait was an unreasoning malignity toward * * * and a ferocious tenderness for the society of its furry brethren. Its powers of scent were fully equal to those of a bloodhound, while its abnormally long forearms possessed incredible strength * * * A Cyncephalyte such as this contracts pthisis even in the more northern provinces of Abyssinia.

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The Teeth of the Tiger

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policemen walking between one lamp post and the next. They did not see him. Moreover, anything that might happen inside the house appeared to be to them a matter of total indifference.

"That's my great mistake," said Perenna to himself. "It doesn't do to intrust a job to people who do not suspect its importance."

His investigations led to the discovery of some traces of footsteps on the gravel, traces not sufficiently plain to enable him to distinguish the shape of the shoes that had left them, yet distinct enough to confirm his supposition. The scoundrels had been that way.

Suddenly he gave a movement of delight. Against the border of the path, among the leaves of a little clump of rhodendrons, he saw something red, the shape of which at once struck him. He stooped. It was an apple, the fourth apple, the one whose absence from the fruit dish he had noticed.

"Excellent!" he said. "Hippolyte Fauville did not eat it. One of them must have carried it away—a fit of appetite, a sudden hunger—and it must have rolled from his hand without his having time to look for it and pick it up."

He took up the fruit and examined it.

"What!" he exclaimed with a start. "Can it be possible?"

He stood dumfounded, a prey to real excitement, refusing to admit the inadmissable thing which nevertheless presented itself to his eyes with the direct evidence of actuality. Someone had bitten into the apple; into the apple which was too sour to eat. And the teeth had left their mark!

"Is it possible?" repeated Don Luis. "Is it possible that one of them can have been guilty of such an imprudence! The apple must have fallen without his knowing * * * or he must have been unable to find it in the dark."

He could not get over his surprise. He cast about for plausible explanations. But the fact was there before him. Two rows of teeth, cutting through the thin, red peel, had left their regular, semicircular bite clearly in the pulp of the fruit. They were clearly marked on the top, while the lower row had melted into a single curved line.

"The teeth of the tiger!" murmured Perenna, who could not remove his eyes from that double imprint. "The teeth of the tiger! The teeth that had already left their mark on Inspector Verot's piece of chocolate! What a coincidence! It can hardly be fortuitious Must we not take it as certain that the same person bit into this apple and into that cake of chocolate which Inspector Verot brought to the police office as an incontestable piece of evidence?"

He hesitated a second. Should he keep this evidence for himself, for the personal inquiry which he meant to conduct? Or should he surrender it to the investigations of the police? But the touch of the object filled him with repugnance, with such a sense of physical discomfort, that he flung away the apple and sent it rolling under the leaves of the shrubs.

And he repeated to himself:

"The teeth of the tiger! The teeth of the wild beast!"

He locked the garden door behind him, bolted it, put back the keys on the table and said to Mazeroux:

"Have you spoken to the Chief of Police?"

"Yes."

"Is he coming?"

"Yes."

"Didn't he order you to telephone for the commissary of police?"

"No."

"That means that he wants to see everything by himself. So much the better. But the detective office? The public prosecutor?"

"He's told them."

"What's the matter with you, Alexandre? I have to drag your answers out of you. Well, what is it? You're looking at me very queerly. What's up?"

"Nothing."

"That's all right. I expect this business has turned your head. And no wonder. * * * The Prefect won't enjoy himself, either, * * * especially as he put his faith in me a bit light-heartedly and will be called upon to give an explanation of my presence here. By the way, it's much better that you should take upon yourself the responsibility for all that we have done. Don't you agree? Besides, it'll do you all the good in the world.

"Put yourself forward, flatly; suppress me as much as possible; and, above all—I don't suppose that you will have any objection to this little detail—don't be such a fool as to say that you went to sleep for a single second, last night, in the passage. First of all, you'd only be blamed for it. And then * * * well, that's understood, eh? So we have only to say good-by.

"If the Prefect wants me, as I expect he will, telephone to my address, Place du Palais-Bourbon. I shall be there. Good-by. It is not necessary for me to assist at the inquiry; my presence would be out of place. Good-by, old chap."

He turned toward the door of the passage.

"Half a moment!" cried Mazeroux.

"Half a moment? * * * What do you mean?"

The detective sergeant flung himself between him and the door and was blocking his way.

"Yes, half a moment * * * I am not of your opinion. It's far better that you should wait until the Prefect comes."

"But I don't care a hang about your opinion!"

"May be; but you shan't pass."

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By SAX ROHMER

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I LEAPED up in bed with a great start. My sleep was troubled often enough in these days, when the second coming of Fu-Manchu to England darkened my life; and now, as I crouched there, nerves aquiver—listening—listening—I could not be sure if this dank panic which possessed me had its origin in nightmare or in something else.

Surely a scream, a choking cry for help, had reached my ears; but now almost holding my breath in that sort of nervous tensity peculiar to one aroused thus, I listened, and the silence seemed complete. Perhaps I had been dreaming. * * *

"Help! Petrie! Help!" * * *

It was Nayland Smith in the room above me! My doubts were resolved; this was no trick of an imagination disordered. Some dreadful menace threatened my friend. Not delaying even to snatch my dressing gown, I rushed out on to the landing, up the stairs, barefooted as I was, threw open the door of Smith's room and literally hurled myself in.

Those cries had been the cries of one assailed; had been uttered, I judged, in the brief interval of a life-and-death struggle. And now they had been choked off * * *

A certain amount of moonlight found access to the room, without spreading so far as the bed in which my friend lay. But at the moment of my headlong entrance, and before I had switched on the light, my gaze automatically was directed to the pale moonbeam streaming through the window and down on to one corner of the sheepskin rug beside the bed.

There came a sound of faint and muffled coughing.

What with my recent awakening and the panic at my heart, I could not claim that my vision was true; but across this moonbeam passed a sort of gray streak, for all the world as though some long, thin shape had withdrawn, snake-like, from the room through the open window. * * * From somewhere outside the house and below I heard the cough again, followed by a sharp cracking sound, like the lashing of a whip.

I depressed the switch, flooding the room with light, and as I leaped forward to the bed a word picture of what I had seen formed in my mind; and I found that I was thinking of a gray feather boa. "Smith!" I cried (my voice seemed to pitch itself, unwilled, in a very high key), "Smith, old man!"

He made no reply, and a sudden, sorrowful fear clutched at my heartstrings. He was lying half out of bed, flat upon his back, his head at a dreadful angle with his body. As I bent over him and seized him by the shoulders, I could see the whites of his eyes. His arms hung limply, and his fingers touched the carpet.

"Smith!" I gasped, "what has happened?"

I heaved him back on to the pillow and looked anxiously into his face. Habitually gaunt, the flesh so refined away by the consuming nervous energy of the man as to reveal the cheek bones in sharp prominence, he now looked truly ghastly. His skin was so sun-baked as to have changed constitutionally; nothing could ever eradicate that tan. But tonight a fearful grayness was mingled with the brown, his lips were purple * * * and there were marks of strangulation upon the lean throat—ever darkening weals of clutching fingers.

He began to breath stertorously and convulsively, inhalation being accompanied by a significant gurgling in the throat. But now my calm was restored in face of a situation which called for professional attention.

I aided my friend's labored respirations by the usual means, setting to work vigorously; so that presently he began to clutch at his inflamed throat which that murderous pressure had threatened to close.

I could hear sounds of movements about the house, showing that not I alone had been awakened by those hoarse screams.

"It's all right, old man," I said, bending over him; "brace up!"

He opened his eyes—they looked bleared and bloodshot—and gave me a quick glance of recognition.

"It's all right, Smith," I said. "No, don't sit up; lie there for a moment."

I ran across to the dressing table, whereon I perceived his flask to lie, and mixed him a weak stimulant. With it I returned to the bed.

As I bent over him again, my housekeeper appeared in the doorway, pale and wide-eyed.

"There is no occasion for alarm," I said over my shoulder. "Mr. Smith's nerves are overwrought and he was awakened by some disturbing dream. You can return to bed, Mrs. Newsome."

Nayland Smith seemed to experience much difficulty in swallowing the contents of the tumbler which I held to his lips; and, from the way in which he fingered the swollen glands, I could see that his throat, which I had vigorously massaged, was occasioning him great pain. But the danger was past, and already that glassy look was disappearing from his eyes, nor did they protrude so unnaturally.

"God, Petrie!" he whispered, "that was a near shave; I haven't the strength of a kitten!"

"The weakness will pass off," I replied; "there will be no collapse now. A little more fresh air." * * *

I stood up, glancing at the windows, then back at Smith, who forced a wry smile in answer to my look.

"Couldn't be done, Petrie," he said huskily.

His words referred to the state of the windows. Although the night was oppressively hot, the windows were only opened some four inches at top and bottom. Further opening was impossible because of iron brackets screwed firmly into the casements, which prevented their being raised or lowered further.

It was a precaution adopted after long experience of the servants of Dr. Fu-Manchu.

Now, as I stood looking from the half-strangled man upon the bed to those screwed-up windows, the fact came home to my mind that this precaution had proved futile. I thought of the thing which I had likened to a feather boa; and I looked at the swollen weals made by clutching fingers upon the throat of Nayland Smith.

And yet the bed stood fully four feet from the nearest window.

I suppose the question was written in my face; for, as I turned again to Smith, who, having struggled upright, was still fingering his injured throat ruefully:

"God only knows, Petrie," he said; "no human arm could have reached me." * * *

For us the night was ended so far as sleep was concerned. Arrayed in his dressing down, Smith sat in the white cane chair in my study, with a glass of brandy and water beside him and (despite my official prohibition) with the cracked briar, which had sent up its incense in many strange and dark places of the East and survived to perfume these prosy rooms in suburban London, steaming between his teeth. I stood with my elbow resting upon the mantelpiece looking down at him where he sat.

"By Gad! Petrie," he said, yet again, with his fingers straying gently over the surface of his throat, "that was a narrow shave—a dashed narrow shave!"

"Narrower than perhaps you appreciate, old man," I replied. "You were a most unusual shade of blue when I found you." * * *

"I managed," said Smith, evenly, "to tear those clutching fingers away for a moment and to give a cry for help. It was only for a moment, though. Petrie, they were fingers of steel—of steel!"

"The bed," I began.

"I know that," rapped Smith. "I should not have been sleeping in it, had it been within reach of the window; but, knowing that the doctor avoids noisy methods, I had thought myself fairly safe so long as I made it impossible for anyone actually to enter the room." * * *

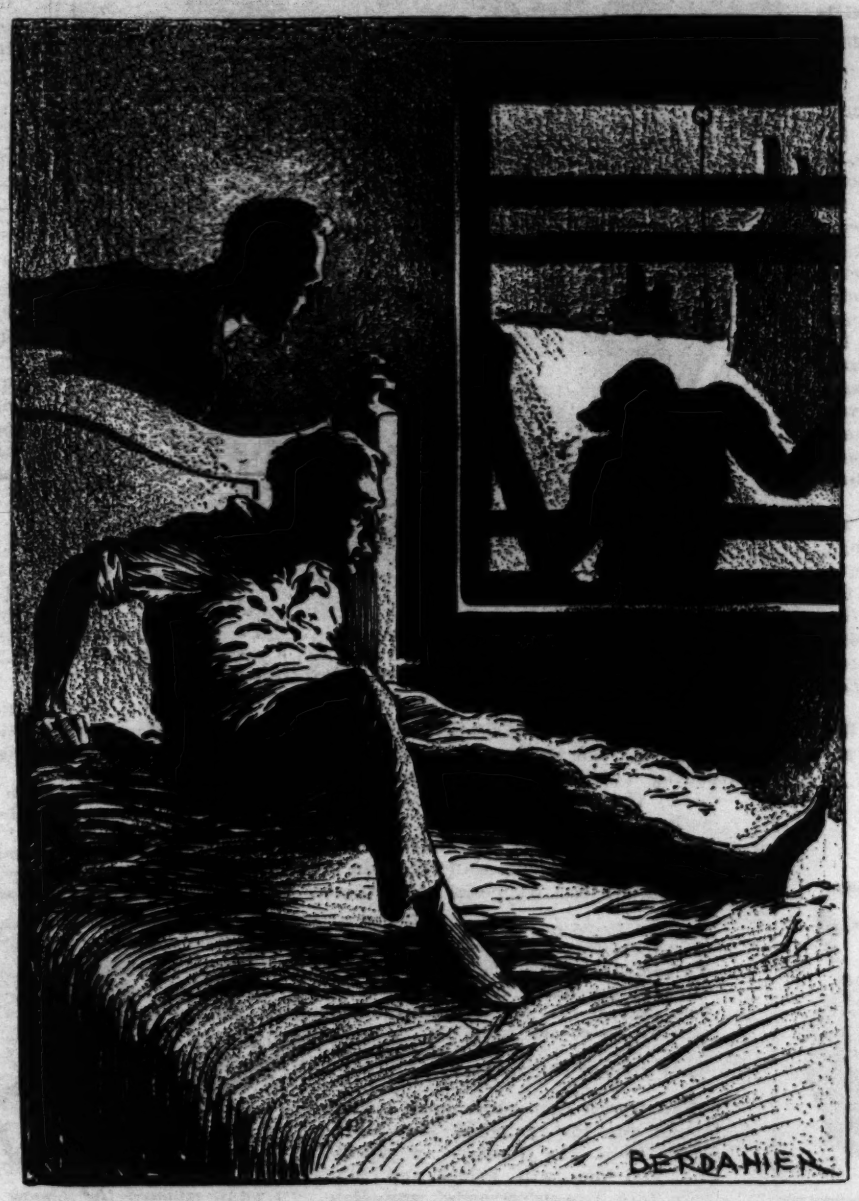
"I have always insisted, Smith," I cried, "that there was danger! What of poisoned darts? What of the damnable reptiles and insects which form part of the armory of Fu-Manchu?"

"Familiarity breeds contempt, I suppose," he replied. "But as it happened none of those agents were employed. The very menace that I sought to avoid reached me somehow. It would almost seem that Dr. Fu-Manchu deliberately accepted the challenge of those screwed-up windows! Hang it all, Petrie, one cannot sleep in a room hermetically sealed in weather like this! It's positively Burmese; and although I can stand tropical heat, curiously enough the heat of London gets me down almost immediately."

"The humidity; that's easily understood. But you'll have to put up with it in the future. After nightfall our windows must be closed entirely, Smith."

Nayland Smith knocked out his pipe upon the side of the fireplace. The bowl sizzled furiously, but without delay he stuffed broad-cut mixture into the hot pipe, dropping a liberal quantity upon the carpet during the process. He raised his eyes to me, and his face was very grim.

"Petrie," he said, striking a match on the heel of his slipper, "the resources of Dr. Fu-Manchu are by no means exhausted. Before we quit this room it is up to us to come to a decision upon a certain point." He got his pipe well alight. "What kind of thing, what unnatural, distorted creature, laid hands upon my throat tonight? I owe my life, primarily to you, old man, but secondarily to the fact that I was awakened, just before the attack—by the creature's coughing—by its vile, high-pitched coughing." * * *



"Without the slightest heralding sound, a black silhouette crept up against the pane."

I glanced around at the books upon my shelves. Often enough, following some outrage by the brilliant Chinese doctor, whose genius was directed to the discovery of new and unique death agents, we had obtained a clew in those works of a scientific nature which bulk largely in the library of a medical man. There are creatures, there are drugs, which, ordinarily innocuous, may be so employed as to become inimical to human life; and in the distorting nature, in the disturbing of balances and the diverting of beneficent forces into strange and dangerous channels, Dr. Fu-Manchu excelled. I had known him to enlarge, by artificial culture, a minute species of fungus so as to render it a powerful agent capable of attacking man; his knowledge of venomous insects has probably never been paralleled in the history of the world; while in the sphere of pure toxicology he had, and has, no rival; the Borgias were children by comparison. But, look where I would, think how I might, no adequate explanation of this latest outrage seemed possible along normal lines.

"There's the clew," said Nayland Smith, pointing to a little ash tray on the table near by. "Follow it if you can."

But I could not.

"As I have explained," continued my friend, "I was awakened by a sound of coughing; then came a death grip on my throat, and instinctively my hands shot out in search of my attacker. I could not reach him; my hands came in contact with nothing palpable. Therefore I clutched at the fingers which were dug into my windpipe, and found them to be small—as the marks show—and hairy. I managed to give that first cry for help, then with all my strength I tried to unfasten the grip that was throttling the life out of me. At last I contrived to move one of the hands, and I called out again, though not so loudly. Then both the hands were back once more; I was weakening; but I clawed like a madman at the thin, hairy arms of the strangling thing, and with a blood-red mist dancing before my eyes, I seemed to be whirling madly round and round until all became a blank. Evidently I used my nails pretty freely—and there's the trophy."

For the twentieth time, I should think, I carried the ash tray in my hand and laid it immediately under the table lamp in order to examine its contents. In the little brass bowl lay a blood-stained fragment of grayish hair attached to a tatter of skin. This fragment of epidermis had an odd bluish tinge, and the attached hair was much darker at the roots than elsewhere. Saving its singular color, it might have been torn from the forearm of a very hirsute human; but, although my thoughts wandered unfettered north, south, east and west; although, knowing the resources of Fu-Manchu, I considered all the recognized Mongolian types, and, in quest of hirsute mankind, even roamed far north among the blubber-eating Eskimos; although I glanced at Australasia, at Central Africa, and passed in mental review the dark places of the Congo, nowhere in the known world, nowhere in the history of the human species, could I come upon a type of man answering to the description suggested by our strange clew.

Nayland Smith was watching me curiously as I bent over the little brass ash tray.

"You are puzzled," he rapped in his short way. "So am I—utterly puzzled. Fu-Manchu's gallery of monstrosities clearly has become reinforced; for even if we identified the type we should not be in sight of our explanation.

"You mean," I began.

"Fully four feet from the window, Petrie, and that window but a few inches open! Look"—he bent forward, resting his chest against the table, and stretched out his hand toward me. "You have a rule there; just measure."

Setting down the ash tray, I opened out the rule and measured the distance from the further edge of the table to the tips of Smith's fingers.

"Twenty-eight inches—and I have a long reach!" snapped Smith, withdrawing his arm and striking a

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thing, everything * * * how to trap them and how to do for them. * * * You'll remember, won't you? A diary bound in drab cloth. * * * I'm putting it back in the safe."

Gradually his calmness returned. He pushed back the glass case, tidied a few papers, switched on the electric lamp above his bed, put out the lights in the middle of the ceiling, and asked Don Luis and Mazeroux to leave him.

Don Luis, who was walking round the room and examining the iron shutters of the two windows, noticed a door opposite the entrance door and asked the engineer about it.

"I used it for my regular clients," said Fauville, "and sometimes I go out that way."

"Does it open on the garden?"

"Yes."

"Is it properly closed?"

"You can see for yourself; it's locked and bolted with a safety bolt. Both keys are on my bunch; so is the key of the garden gate."

He placed the bunch of keys on the table with his pocketbook and, after first winding it, his watch.

Don Luis, without troubling to ask permission, took the keys and unfastened the lock and the bolt. A flight of three steps brought him to the garden. He followed the length of the narrow border. Through the ivy he saw and heard the two policemen pacing up and down the boulevard. He tried the lock of the gate. It was fastened.

"Everything's all right," he said when he returned, "and you can be easy. Good night."

"Good night," said the engineer, seeing Perenna and Mazeroux out.

Between his study and the passage were two doors, one of which was padded and covered with oilcloth. On the other side, the passage was separated from the hall by a heavy curtain.

"You can go to sleep," said Perenna to his companion. "I'll sit up."

"But surely, Chief, you don't think that anything's going to happen!"

"I don't think so, seeing the precautions which we've taken. But, knowing Inspector Verot as you did, do you think he was the man to imagine things?"

"No, Chief."

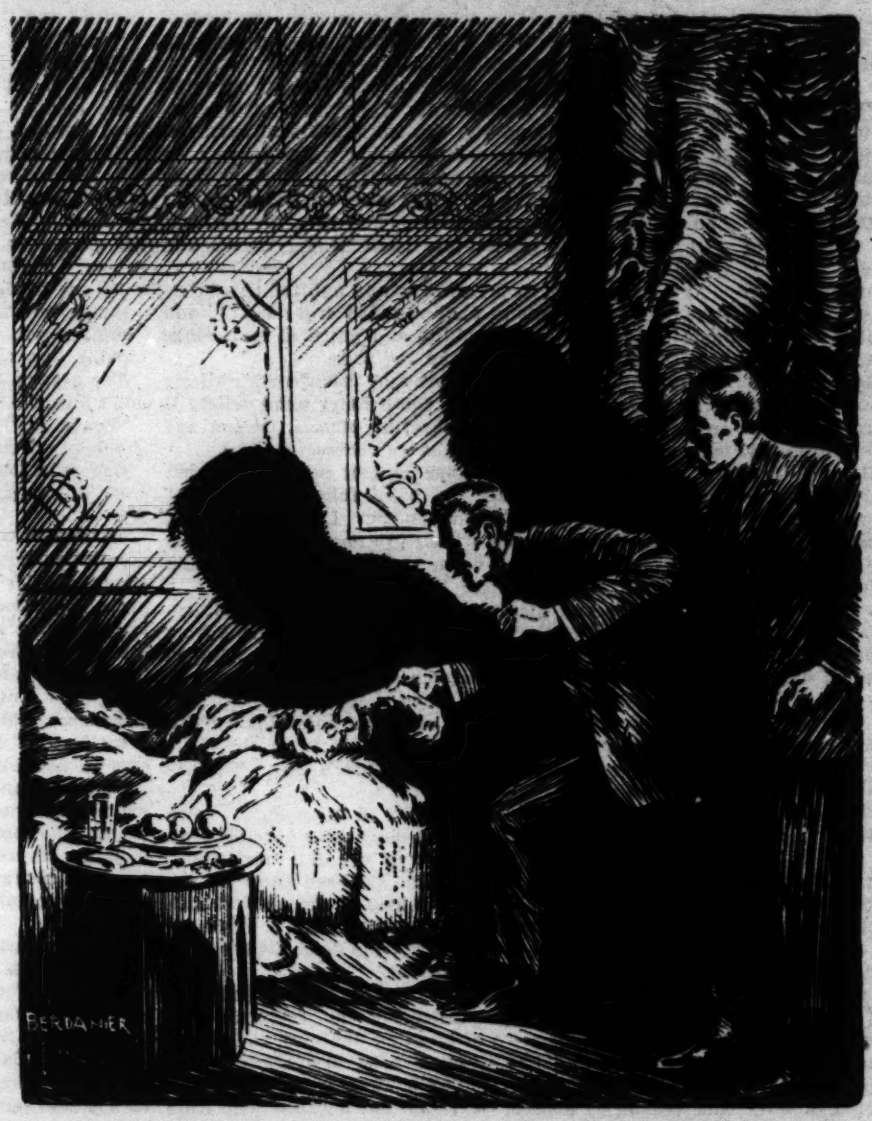
"Well, you know what he prophesied. That means that he had his reasons for doing so. And therefore I shall keep my eyes open."

"We'll take it turns, Chief; wake me when it's my time to watch."

Seated motionless, side by side, they exchanged an occasional remark. Soon after, Mazeroux fell asleep. Don Luis remained in his chair without moving, his ears pricked up. Everything was quiet in the house. Outside, from time to time, the sound of a motor car or of a cab rolled by. He could also hear the late trains on the Auteuil line.

He rose several times and went up to the door. Not a sound. Hippolyte Fauville was evidently asleep.

"Capital!" said Perenna to himself. "The boulevard is watched. No one can enter the room except by this way. So there is nothing to fear."



"This time Perenna resolutely took hold of his hand. It was icy cold."

At 2 o'clock in the morning a car stopped outside the house, and one of the manservants, who must have been waiting in the kitchen, hastened to the front door. Perenna switched off the light in the passage, and, drawing the curtain slightly aside, saw Mme. Fauville enter, followed by Silvestre.

She went up. The lights on the staircase were put out. For half an hour or so there was a sound overhead of voices and of chairs moving. Then all was silence.

And, amid this silence, Perenna felt an unspeakable anguish arise within him, he could not tell why. But it was so violent, the impression became so acute, that he muttered:

"I shall go and see if he's asleep. I don't expect that he has bolted the doors."

He had only to push both doors to open them; and, with his electric lantern in his hand, he went up to the bed.

Hippolyte Fauville was sleeping with his face turned to the wall.

Perenna gave a smile of relief. He turned to the passage and, shaking Mazeroux:

"Your turn, Alexandre."

"No news, Chief?"

"No, none; he's asleep."

"How do you know?"

"I've had a look at him."

"That's funny; I never heard you. It's true, though, I've slept like a pig."

He followed Perenna into the study, and Perenna said:

"Sit down and don't wake him. I shall take 40 winks."

He had one more turn at sentry duty. But, even while dozing, he remained conscious of all that happened around him. A clock struck the hours with a low chime; and each time Perenna counted the strokes. Then came the life outside awakening, the rattle of the milk carts, the whistle of the early suburban trains.

People began to stir inside the house. The daylight trickled in through the crannies of the shutters, and the room gradually became filled with light.

"Let's go away," said Sergeant Mazeroux. "It would be better for him not to find us here."

"Hold your tongue!" said Don Luis, with an imperious gesture.

"Why?"

"You'll wake him up."

"But you can see I'm not waking him," said Mazeroux, without lowering his tone.

"That's true, that's true," whispered Don Luis, astonished that the sound of that voice had not disturbed the sleeper.

And he felt himself overcome with the same anguish that had seized upon him in the middle of the night, a more clearly defined anguish, although he would not, although he dared not, try to realize the reason of it.

"What's the matter with you, Chief? You're looking like nothing on earth. What is it?"

"Nothing—nothing. I'm frightened"——

Mazeroux shuddered.

"Frightened of what? You say that just as he did last night."

"Yes * * * yes * * * and for the same reason."

"But?"——

"Don't you understand? Don't you understand that I'm wondering?"——

"No; what?"

"If he's not dead!"

"But you're mad, Chief!"

"No. * * * I don't know. * * * Only, only * * * I have an impression of death"——

Lantern in hand, he stood as one paralyzed, opposite the bed; and he who was afraid of nothing in the world had not the courage to throw the light on Hippolyte Fauville's face. A terrifying silence rose and filled the room.

"Oh, Chief, he's not moving!"

"I know * * * I know * * * and I now see that he has not moved once during the night. And that's what frightens me."

He had to make a real effort in order to step forward. He was now almost touching the bed.

The engineer did not appear to breathe.

This time, Perenna resolutely took hold of his hand. It was icy cold.

Don Luis at once recovered all his self-possession.

"The window! Open the window!" he cried.

And, when the light flooded the room, he saw the face of Hippolyte Fauville all swollen, stained with brown patches.

'Oh," he said, under his breath, "he's dead!"

"Dash it all! Dash it all!" spluttered the detective sergeant.

For two or three minutes they stood petrified, stupefied, staggered at the sight of this most astonishing and mysterious phenomenon. Then a sudden idea made Perenna start. He flew up the winding staircase, rushed along the gallery, and darted into the attic.

Edmond, Hippolyte Fauville's son, lay stiff and stark on his bed, with a cadaverous face, dead, too.

"Dash it all! Dash it all!" repeated Mazeroux.

Never, perhaps, in the course of his adventurous career, had Perenna experienced such a knockdown blow. It gave him a feeling of extreme lassitude, depriving him of all power of speech or movement. Father and son were dead! They had been killed during that night! A few hours earlier, though the house was watched and every outlet hermetically closed, both had been poisoned by an infernal puncture, even as Inspector Verot was poisoned, even as Cosmo Mornington was poisoned.

"Dash it all!" said Mazeroux once more. "It was not worth troubling about the poor devils and performing such miracles to save them!"

The exclamation conveyed a reproach. Perenna grasped it and admitted:

"You are right, Mazeroux; I was not equal to the job."

"Nor I, Chief."

"You * * * you have only been in this business since yesterday evening"——

"Well, so have you, Chief!"

"Yes, I know, since yesterday evening, whereas the others have been working at it for weeks and weeks. Put, all the same, these two are dead; and I was there, I, Lupin, was there! The thing has been done under my eyes; and I saw nothing! I saw nothing! How is it possible?"

He uncovered the poor boy's shoulders, showing the mark of a puncture at the top of the arm.

"The same mark—the same mark obviously that we shall find on the father. * * * The lad does not seem to have suffered, either. * * * Poor little chap! He did not look very strong. * * * Never mind, it's a nice face; what a terrible blow for his mother when she learns!"

The detective sergeant wept with anger and pity, while he kept on mumbling:

"Dash it all! * * * Dash it all!"

"We shall avenge them, eh, Mazeroux?"

"Rather, Chief! Twice over!"

"Once will do, Mazeroux. But it shall be done with a will."

"That I swear it shall!"

"You're right; let's swear. Let us swear that this dead pair shall be avenged. Let us swear not to lay down our arms until the murderers of Hippolyte Fauville and his son are punished as they deserve."

"I swear it as I hope to be saved, Chief."

"Good!" said Perenna. "And now to work. You go and telephone at once to the police office. I am sure that M. Desmalions will approve of your informing him without delay. He takes an immense interest in the case."

"And if the servants come? If Mme. Fauville?"——

"No one will come till we open the doors; and we shan't open them except to the Prefect of Police. It will be for him, afterward, to tell Mme. Fauville that she is a widow and that she has no son. Go! Hurry!"

"One moment, Chief; we are forgetting something that will help us enormously."

"What's that?"

"The little drab-cloth diary in the safe, in which M. Fauville describes the plot against him."

"Why, of course!" said Perenna. "You're right * * * especially as he omitted to mix up the letters of the lock last night, and the key is on the bunch which he left lying on the table."

They ran down the stairs.

"Leave this to me," said Mazeroux. "It's more regular that you shouldn't touch the safe."

He took the bunch, moved the glass case, and inserted the key with a feverish emotion which Don Luis felt even more acutely than he did. They were at last about to know the details of the mystery story. The dead man himself would betray the secret of his murderers.

"Lord, what a time you take!" growled Don Luis.

Mazeroux plunged both hands into the crowd of papers that encumbered the iron shelf.

"Well, Mazeroux, hand it over."

"What?"

"The diary."

"I can't, Chief."

"What's that?"

"It's gone."

Don Luis stifled an oath. The drab-cloth diary, which the engineer had placed in the safe before their eyes, had disappeared.

Mazeroux shook his head.

"Dash it all! So they knew about that diary!"

"Of course they did; and they knew plenty of other things besides. We've not seen the end of it with those fellows. There'e no time to lise. Ring up!"

Mazeroux did so and soon received the answer that M. Desmalions was coming to the telephone. He waited.

In a few minutes Perenna, who had been walking up and down, examining different objects in the room, came and sat down beside Mazeroux. He seemed thoughtful. He reflected for some time. But then, his eyes falling on the fruit dish, he muttered:

"Hullo! There are only three apples instead of four. Then he ate the fourth."

"Yes," said Mazeroux, "he must have eaten it."

"That's funny," replied Perenna, "for he didn't think them ripe."

He was silent once more, sat leaning his elbows on the table, visibly preoccupied; then, raising his head, he let fall these words:

"The murder was committed before we entered the room, at half-past 12 exactly."

"How do you know, Chief?"

"M. Fauville's murderer or murderers, in touching the things on the table, knocked down the watch which M. Fauville had placed there. They put it back; but the fall had stopped it. And it stopped at half-past 12."

"Then, Chief, when we settled ourselves here, at 2 in the morning, it was a corpse that was lying beside us and another over our heads?"

"Yes."

"But how did those devils get in?"

"Through this door, which opens on the garden, and through the gate which opens on the Boulevard Suchet."

"Then they had keys to the locks and bolts?"

"False keys, yes."

"But the policemen watching the house outside?"

"They are still watching it, as that sort watch a house, walking from point to point without thinking that people can slip into a garden while they have their backs turned. That's what took place in coming and going."

Sergt. Mazeroux seemed flabbergasted. The criminals' daring, their skill, the precision of their acts bewildered him.

"They're deuced clever," he said.

"Deuced clever, Mazeroux, as you say; and I foresee a tremendous battle. By Jupiter, with what a vim they set to work!"

The telephone bell rang. Don Luis left Mazeroux to his conversation with the Prefect, and, taking the bunch of keys, easily unfastened the lock and the bolt of the door and went out into the garden, in the hope of there finding some trace that should facilitate his quest.

As on the day before, he saw, through the ivy, two

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match to relight his pipe. "There's one thing, Petrie, often proposed before, which now we must do without delay. The ivy must be stripped from the walls at the back. It's a pity, but we cannot afford to sacrifice our lives to our sense of the esthetic. What do you make of the sound like the cracking of a whip?"

"I make nothing of it, Smith," I replied, wearily. "It might have been a thick branch of ivy breaking beneath the weight of a climber."

"Did it sound like it?"

"I must confess that the explanation does not convince me, but I can find no better one."

Smith, permitting his pipe to go out, sat staring straight before him and tugging at the lobe of his left ear.

"The old bewilderment is seizing me," I continued. "At first, when I realized that Dr. Fu-Manchu was back in England, when I realized that an elaborate murder machine was set up somewhere in London, it seemed unreal, fantastical. Then I met—Karamaneh! She, whom we thought to be his victim, showed herself again to be his slave. Now, with Weymouth and Scotland Yard at work, the old secret evil is established again in our midst, unaccountably—our lives are menaced—sleep is a danger—every shadow threatens death * * * oh! it is awful."

Smith remained silent. He did not seem to have heard my words. I knew these moods and had learned that it was useless to seek to interrupt them. With his brows drawn down and his deep-set eyes staring into space, he sat there gripping his cold pipe so tightly that the jaw muscles stood out prominently beneath his sun-baked skin. No man was better equipped than this gaunt British Commissioner to stand between society and the menace of the yellow doctor; I respected his meditations, for, unlike my own, they were informed by an intimate knowledge of the dark and secret things of the East, of that mysterious East, out of which Fu-Manchu came, of that jungle of noxious things whose miasma had been wafted westward with the implacable Chinaman. I walked quietly from the room, occupied with my own bitter reflections.

"You say you have two pieces of news for me," said Nayland Smith, looking across the breakfast table to where Inspector Weymouth sat sipping hot coffee.

"There are two points—yes," replied the Scotland Yard man, while Smith paused, egg spoon in hand, and fixed his keen eyes upon the speaker. "The first is this: the headquarters of the yellow group is no longer in the East End."

"How can you be sure of that?"

"For two reasons. In the first place, that district must now be too hot to hold Dr. Fu-Manchu; in the second place, we have just completed a house-to-house inquiry which has scarcely overlooked a rat hole or a rat. That place where you say Fu-Manchu was visited by some Chinese mandarin, where you, Mr. Smith, and"—glancing in my direction—"you, doctor, were confined for a time"——

"Yes," snapped Smith, attacking his egg.

"Well," continued the Inspector, "it is all deserted now. There is not the slightest doubt that the Chinaman has fled to some other abode. I am certain of it. My second piece of news will interest you very much, I am sure. You were taken to the establishment of the Chinaman, Shen-Yan, by a certain ex-officer of New York police—Burke." * * *

"Good God!" cried Smith. "I though they had him!"

"So did I," replied Weymouth grimly; "but they haven't! He got away in the confusion following the raid and has been hiding ever since with a cousin—a nurseryman out Upminster way." * * *

"Hiding?" snapped Smith.

"Exactly—hiding. He has been afraid to stir ever since, and has scarcely shown his nose outside the door. He says he is watched night and day."

"Then how"——

"He realized that something must be done," continued the Inspector, "and made a break this morning. He is so convinced of this constant surveillance that he came away secretly, hidden under the boxes of a market wagon. He landed at Covent Garden in the early hours of this morning and came straight away to the Yard."

"What is he afraid of exactly?"

Inspector Weymouth put down his coffee cup and bent forward slightly.

"He knows something," he said in a low voice, "and they are aware that he knows it!"

"And what is this he knows?"

Nayland Smith stared eagerly at the detective.

"Every man has his price," replied Weymouth, with a smile, "and Burke seems to think you are a more likely market than the police authorities."

"I see," snapped Smith, "he wants to see me?"

"He wants you to go and see him," was the reply. "I think he anticipates that you may make a capture of the person or persons spying upon him."

"Did he give you any particulars?"

"Several. He spoke of a sort of gypsy girl with whom he had a short conversation one day over the fence which divides his cousin's flower plantations from the lane adjoining.

"Gypsy girl!" I whispered, glancing rapidly at Smith.

"I think you are right, doctor," said Weymouth, with his slow smile. "It was Karamaneh. She asked him the way to somewhere or other and got him to write it upon a loose page of his notebook, so that she should not forget it."

"You hear that, Petrie," rapped Smith.

"I hear it," I replied, "but I don't see any special significance in the fact."

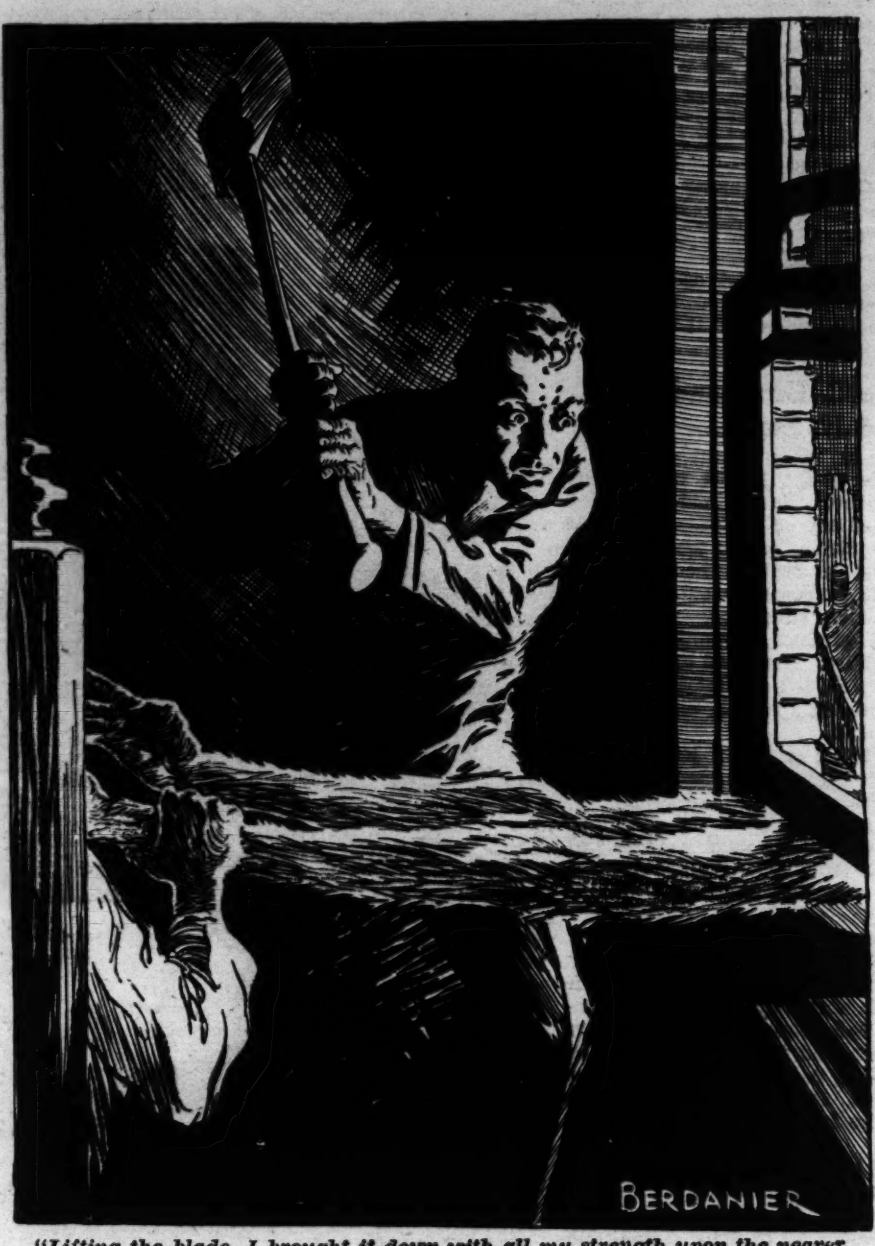
"I do!" rapped Smith. "I didn't sit up the greater part of last night thrashing my weary brains for nothing! But I am going to the British Museum today to confirm a certain suspicion." He turned to Weymouth. "Did Burke go back?" he demanded abruptly.

"He returned hidden under the empty boxes," was the reply. "Oh, you never saw a man in such a funk in all your life!"

"He may have good reasons," I said.

"He has good reasons!" replied Nayland Smith grimly. "If that man really possesses information inimical to the safety of Fu-Manchu, he can only escape doom by means of a miracle similar to that which hitherto has protected you and me."

"Burke insists," said Weymouth at this point, "that something comes almost every night after dusk, slinking about the house. It's an old farmhouse I understand, and on two or three occasions he has been awakened, (fortunately for him he is a light sleeper) by sounds of coughing immediately outside his window. He is a man who sleeps with a pistol under his pillow, and more than once, on running to the window, he has had a vague glimpse of some creature leaping down from the tiles of the roof, which slopes up to his room, into the flower beds below." * * *



"Lifting the blade, I brought it down with all my strength upon the nearer of those hairy arms, where it crossed the window ledge."

"Creature!" said Smith, his gray eyes ablaze now, "you said creature!"

"I used the word deliberately," replied Weymouth, "because Burke seems to have the idea that it goes on all fours."

There was a short and rather strained silence. Then:

"In descending a sloping roof," I suggested, "a human being would probably employ his hands as well as his feet."

"Quite so," agreed the Inspector. "I am merely repeating the impression of Burke."

"Has he heard no other sound?" rapped Smith; "one like the cracking of dry branches, for instance?"

"He did not mention it," replied Weymouth, staring.

"And what is the plan?"

"One of his cousin's vans," said Weymouth, with his slight smile, "has remained behind at Covent Garden and will return late this afternoon. I propose that you and I, Mr. Smith, imitate Burke and ride down to Upminster under the empty boxes."

Nayland Smith stood up, leaving his breakfast half finished, and began to wander up and down the room, reflectively tugging at his ear. Then he began to fumble in the pockets of his dressing gown and finally produced the inevitable pipe, dilapidated pouch and box of safety matches. He began to load the much-charred agent of reflection.

"Do I understand that Burke is actually too afraid to go out openly even in the daylight?" he asked suddenly.

"He has not hitherto left his cousin's plantation at all," replied Weymouth. "He seems to think that openly to communicate with the authorities, or with you, would be to seal his death warrant."

"He's right," snapped Smith.

"Therefore, he came and returned secretly," continued the Inspector, "and if we are to do any good, obviously we must adopt similar precautions. The market wagon, loaded in such a way as to leave ample space in the interior for us, will be drawn up outside the office of Messrs. Pike & Pike, in Covent Garden, until about 5 o'clock this afternoon. At, say, 4:30, I propose that we meet there and embark upon the journey."

The speaker glanced in my direction interrogatively, placing the tray again upon the table, he looked up "Will there be room in the wagon?"

"Certainly," was the reply; "it is most commodious, but I cannot guarantee its comfort."

Nayland Smith promenaded the room unceasingly, and presently he walked out altogether, only to return ere the Inspector and I had time to exchange more than a glance of surprise. He carried a brass ash tray, and this he placed with its contents on a corner of the breakfast table before Weymouth.

"Ever seen anything like that?" he inquired. The Inspector examined the grewsome relic with obvious curiosity, turning it over with the tip of his little finger and manifesting considerable repugnance in touching it at all, Smith and I watched him in silence, and, finally, placing the tray again upon the table, he looked up in a puzzled way.

"It's something like the skin of a water rat," he said.

Nayland Smith stared at him fixedly.

"A water rat? Now that you come to mention it, I perceive a certain resemblance—yes. But"—he had been wearing a silk scarf about his throat and now he unwrapped it—"did you ever see a water rat that could make marks like these?"

Weymouth started to his feet with some muttered exclamation.

"What is this?" he cried. "When did it happen, and how?"

In his own terse fashion, Nayland Smith related the happenings of the night. At the conclusion of the story:

"By heaven!" whispered Weymouth, "the thing on the roof—the coughing thing that goes on all fours, seen by Burke." * * *

"My own idea, exactly!" cried Smith.

"Fu-Manchu," I said excitedly, "has brought some new, some dreadful creature from Burma." * * *

"No, Petrie," snapped Smith, turning upon me suddenly. "Not from Burma, from Abyssinia."

That day was destined to be an eventful one; a day never to be forgotten by any of us concerned in those happenings which I have to record. Early in the morning Nayland Smith set off for the British Museum to pursue his mysterious investigations, and, I having performed my brief professional round (for, as Nayland Smith had remarked on one ocasion, this was a beastly healthy district) I found, having made the necessary arrangements, that, with over three hours to spare, I had nothing to occupy my time until the appointment in Covent Garden Market. My lonely lunch completed, a restless fit seized me and I felt unable to remain longer in the house. Inspired by this restlessness, I attired myself for the adventure of the evening, not neglecting to place a pistol in my pocket, and, walking to the neighboring tube station, I booked to Charing Cross, and presently found myself rambling aimlessly along the crowded streets. Led on by what link of memory I know not, I presently drifted into New Oxford street, and looked up with a start to learn that I stood there before the shop of a second-hand bookseller where once two years before I had met Karamaneh.

The thoughts conjured up at that moment were almost too bitter to be borne, and without so much as glancing at the books displayed for sale, I crossed the roadway, entered Museum street, and, rather in order to distract my mind than because I contemplated any purchase, began to examine the Oriental pottery, Egyptian statuettes, Indian armor and other curios displayed in the window of an antique dealer.

But, strive as I would to concentrate my mind upon the objects in the window, my memories persistently haunted me, and haunted me to the exclusion even of the actualities. The crowds thronged the pavement, the traffic in New Oxford street swept past unheeded; my eyes saw nothing of pot or statuette, but only met, in a misty imaginative world, the glance of two other eyes—the dark and beautiful eyes of Karamaneh. In the exquisite tinting of the Chinese vase dimly perceptible in the background of the shop, I perceived only the blushing cheeks of Karamaneh; her face rose up, a taunting phantom, from out of the darkness between a hideous, gilded idol and an Indian sandalwood screen.

I strove to dispel this obsessing thought, resolutely fixing my attention upon a tall Etruscan vase in the corner of the window, near to the shop door. Was I losing my senses indeed? A doubt of my own sanity momentarily possessed me. For, struggle as I would to dispel the illusion—there, looking out at me over that ancient piece of pottery, was the bewitching face of the slave girl!

Probably I was glaring madly, and possibly I attracted the notice of passersby; but of this I cannot be certain, for all my attention was centered upon that phantasmal face, with the cloudy hair, slightly parted red lips and brilliant dark eyes which looked into mine out of the shadows of the shop.

It was bewildering—it was uncanny; for, delusion or verity, the glamor prevailed. I exerted a great mental effort, stepped to the door, turned the handle and entered the shop with as great composure as I could muster.

A curtain draped in a little door at the back of one counter swayed slightly, with no greater violence than may have been occasioned by the draft. But I fixed my eyes upon this swaying curtain almost fiercely * * * as an impassive half-caste of some kind, who appeared to be a strange cross between a Greco-Hebrew and a Japanese, entered and quite unemotionally faced me, with a slight bow.

So wholly unexpected was this apparition that I started back.

"Can I show you anything, sir?" inquired the new arrival, with a second slight inclination of the head.

I looked at him for a moment in silence. Then:

"I thought I saw a lady of my acquaintance here a moment ago," I said. "Was I mistaken?"

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SYNOPSIS

COSMO MORNINGTON, a wealthy naturalized American, has died, leaving a fortune of $80,000,000, of which $60,000,000 is to go to the United States and the balance to the heirs of his uncle and aunts, Victor, Elizabeth and Armande Roussel, if any be found alive. Don Luis Perenna, a Peruvian who has served in the French Foreign Legion, where, because of his valor and resourcefulness, he was nicknamed "Arsene Lupin," is charged to find the heirs and is to receive $200,000 for his services. If none can be found Perenna is to get the estate. Mornington's attorney, Maitre Lepertuis, and the Prefect of Paris Police, M. Desmoulins, acting under directions in the will, make known its provisions to Perenna after an attache of the Peruvian Legation and Maj. d'Astrignac, formerly of the Foreign Legion, have established his identity. The heirs must be found in 90 days. Perenna amazes the others by declaring that Mornington was murdered with poison. Inspector Verot who came to report a plot for a murder that night is found in an anteroom poisoned. Perenna reveals himself to Sergt. Mazeroux, an old confidant, as Arsene Lupin.

Chapter Three
A MAN DOOMED

THE door was opened by a manservant. Mazeroux sent in his card.

Hippolyte received the two visitors in his study. The table, on which stood books, pamphlets and papers. There were two tall desks, with diagrams and drawings, and some glass cases containing reduced models, in ivory and steel, of apparatus constructed or invented by the engineer.

A large sofa stood against the wall. In one corner was a winding staircase that led to a circular gallery. An electric chandelier hung from the ceiling.

Mazeroux, after stating his quality and introducing his friend Perenna as also sent by the Prefect of Police, at once expounded the object of their visit.

M. Desmalions, he said, was feeling anxious on the score of very serious indications which he had just received and, without waiting for the next day's interview, begged M. Fauville to take all the precautions which his detectives might advise.

Fauville at first displayed a certain ill humor.

"My precautions are taken, gentlemen, and well taken. And, on the other hand, I am afraid that your interference may do harm."

"In what way?"

"By arousing the attention of my enemies and preventing me, for that reason, from collecting proofs which I need in order to confound them."

"Can you explain?"——

"No, I cannot. * * * Tomorrow, tomorrow morning—not before."

"And if it's too late?" Don Luis interjected.

"Too late? Tomorrow?"

"Inspector Verot told M. Desmalion's secretary that the two murders would take place tonight. He said it was fatal and irrevocable."

"Tonight?" cried Fauville angrily. "I tell you no! Not tonight. I'm sure of that. There are things which I know aren't there, which you do not?"

"Yes," retorted Don Luis, "but there may also be things which Inspector Verot knew and which you don't know. He had perhaps learned more of your enemies' secrets than you did. The proof is that he was suspected, that a man carrying an ebony walking stick was seen watching his movements, that, lastly, he was killed."

Hippolyte Fauville's self-assurance decreased. Perenna took advantage of this to insist; and he insisted to such good purpose that Fauville, though without withdrawing from his reserve, ended by yielding before a will that was stronger than his own.

"Well but you surely don't intend to spend the night in here?"

"We do, indeed."

"Why, it's ridiculous! It's sheer waste of time! After all, looking at things from the worst—And what do you want besides?"

"Who lives in the house?"

"Who? My wife, to begin with. She has the first floor."

"Mme. Fauville is not threatened,"

"No, not at all. It's I who am threatened with death; and my son, Edmond. That is why, for the past week, instead of sleeping in my regular bedroom, I have locked myself up in this room. I have given my work as a pretext; a quantity of writing which keeps me up very late and for which I need my son's assistance."

"Does he sleep here, then?"

"He sleeps above us, in a little room which I have had arranged for him. The only access to it is by this inner staircase."

"Is he there now?"

"Yes, he's asleep."

"How old is he?"

"Sixteen."

"But the fact that you have changed your rooms shows that you feared some one would attack you. Whom had you in mind? An enemy living in the house? One of your servants? Or people from the outside? In that case, how could they get in? The whole question lies in that."

"Tomorrow, tomorrow," replied Fauville, obstinately. "I will explain everything tomorrow"——

"Why not tonight?" Perenna persisted.



"The husband said in surprise, 'Are you going out tonight' "

"Because I want proofs, I tell you; because the mere fact of my talking may have terrible consequences—and I am frightened; yes, I'm frightened"——

He was trembling, in fact, and looked so wretched and terrified that Don Luis insisted no longer.

"Very well," he said. "I will only ask your permission, for my comrade and myself, to spend the night where we can hear you if you call."

"As you please, Monsieur. Perhaps, after all, that will be best."

At that moment one of the servants knocked and came in to say that his mistress wished to see the master before he went out. Mme. Fauville entered almost immediately. She bowed pleasantly as Perenna and Mazeroux rose from their chairs.

She was a woman between 30 and 35, a woman of a bright and smiling beauty, which she owed to her blue eyes, to her wavy hair, to all the charm of her rather vapid but amiable and very pretty face. She wore a long figured silk cloak over an evening dress that showed her fine shoulders.

Her husband said in surprise:

"Are you going out tonight?"

"You forget," she said. "The Auverards offered me a seat in their box at the opera; and you yourself asked me to look in at Mme. d'Ersingen's party afterward"——

"So I did, so I did," he said. "It escaped my memory; I am working so hard."

She finished buttoning her gloves and asked:

"Won't you come and fetch me at Mme. d'Ersingen's?"

"What for?"

"They would like it."

"But I shouldn't. Besides, I don't feel well enough."

"Then I'll make your apologies for you."

"Yes, do."

She drew her cloak around her with a graceful gesture, and stood for a few moments, without moving, as though seeking a word of farewell. Then she said:

"Edmond's not here! I thought he was working with you?"

"He was feeling tired."

"Is he asleep?"

"Yes."

"I wanted to kiss him good-night."

"No, you would only wake him. And here's your car; so go, dear. Amuse yourself."

"Oh, amuse myself!" she said. "There not much amusement about the opera and an evening party."

"Still, it's better than keeping one's room."

There was some little constraint. It was obviously one of those ill-assorted households in which the husband, suffering in health and not caring for the pleasures of society, stays at home, while the wife seeks the enjoyments to which her age and habits entitle her.

As he said nothing more, she bent over and kissed him on the forehead. Then, once more bowing to the two visitors, she went out. A moment later they heard the sound of the motor driving away.

Hippolyte Fauville at once rose and rang the bell. Then he said:

"No one here has any idea of the danger hanging over me. I have confided in nobody, not even in Silvestre, my own man, though he has been in my service for years and is honesty itself."

The manservant entered.

"I am going to bed, Silvestre," said M. Fauville. "Get everything ready."

Silvestre opened the upper part of the great sofa, which made a comfortable bed, and laid the sheets and blankets. Next, at his master's orders, he brought a jug of water, a plate of biscuits, and a dish of fruit.

M. Fauville ate a couple of biscuits and then cut a dessert apple. It was not ripe. He took two others, felt them, and, not thinking them good, put them back as well. Then he peeled a pear and ate it.

"You can leave the fruit dish," he said to his man. "I shall be glad of it, if I am hungry during the night. * * * Oh, I was forgetting! These two gentlemen are staying. Don't mention it to anybody. And, in the morning don't come until I ring."

The man placed the fruit dish on the table before retiring. Perenna, who was noticing everything, and who was afterward to remember every smallest detail of that evening, which his memory recorded with a sort of mechanical faithfulness, counted three pears and four apples in the dish.

Meanwhile, Fauville went up the winding staircase, and, going along the gallery, reached the room where his son lay in bed.

"He's fast asleep," he said to Perenna, who had joined him.

The bedroom was a small one. The air was admitted by a special system of ventilation, for the former window was hermetically closed by a wooden shutter tightly nailed down.

"I took the precaution last year," Hippolyte Fauville explained. "I used to make my electrical experiments in this room and was afraid of being spied upon, so I closed the aperture opening on the roof."

And he added in a low voice:

"They have been prowling around me for a long time."

The two men went downstairs again.

Fauville looked at his watch.

"A quarter past 10: bedtime. I am exceedingly tired, and you will excuse me"——

It was arranged that Perenna and Mazeroux should make themselves comfortable in a couple of easy chairs which they carried into the passage between the study and the entrance hall. But, before bidding them good-night, Hippolyte Fauville, who, although greatly excited, had appeared until then to retain his self-control, was seized with a sudden attack of weakness. He uttered a faint cry. Don Luis turned round and saw the sweat pouring like gleaming water down his face and neck, while he shook with fever and anguish.

"What's the matter?" asked Perenna.

"I'm frightened! I'm frightened!" he said.

"This is madness!" cried Don Luis. "Aren't we here, the two of us? We can easily spend the night with you, if you prefer, by your bedside."

Fauville replied by shaking Perenna violently by the shoulder, and, with distorted features, stammering:

"If there were 10 of you—if there were 20 of you with me, you need not think that it would spoil their schemes! They can do anything they please, do you hear, anything! They have already killed Inspector Verot—they will kill me—and they will kill my son. Oh, the blackguards! My God, take pity on me! The awful terror of it! The pain I suffer!"

He had fallen on his knees and was striking his breast and repeating:

"O God, have pity on me! I can't die! I can't let my son die! Have pity on me, I beseech Thee!"

He sprang to his feet and led Perenna to a glass-fronted case, which he rolled back on its brass castors, revealing a small safe built into the wall.

"You will find my whole story here, written up day by day for the past three years. If anything should happen to me, revenge will be easy."

He hurriedly turned the letters of the padlock and, with a key which he took from his pocket, opened the safe.

It was three-fourths empty; but on one of the shelves, between some piles of papers, was a diary bound in drab cloth, with a rubber band round it. He took the diary, and, emphasizing his words, said:

"There, look, it's all in here. With this, the hideous business can be reconstructed. * * * There are my suspicions first and then my certainties. * * * Every-

Kings of the "Double Cross"

No. 8 of "On the Secret Service Trail for Uncle Sam"

THE stranger-than-fiction story of the rise and fall of the now famous Maybray gang is here told for the first time in authoritative detail. It is unique among the celebrated cases of fraud exposure recounted in the Post-Dispatch Magazine's series. John C. Maybray, alias Parks, was a criminal of master mind, who operated in the prosperous agricultural sections of the Middle West. He played upon the greed and hypocrisy of local magnates by letting them in on illegal sporting schemes "fixed" for enormous profits, and then "double-crossed" or turned the trick on his dupes, who had bound themselves to silence by their own complicity in the game, or who feared the humiliation of exposure. Parks and his associates became millionaires, running their own racing stables and private gambling establishments, employing perhaps a hundred jockeys, pugilists, wrestlers, card sharpers and "confidence" people of both sexes. About 80 of the gang are now doing time in prison.

George C. Craft, the governmental official who was chiefly concerned in bringing these people to book, was for some years an Assistant Division Superintendent of the Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice.

By George C. Craft and Edward H. Smith.

WHEN, in quite recent years, the States of the Middle West finally put the colorful old gambling houses out of business and made surreptitious games too dangerous to be profitable, there resulted much dangerous leisure among a caste of men whom idleness envenoms.

Two things the real gambler is unlikely to become—a plodder or an idler. His mind has been too active for the latter. And the excitement and romance of high stakes and big spending unfit him for the work of the human ant.

"Once a gambler, always a gambler," Zach Brogan used to say in the palmy days of Leavenworth's big game, and he was right.

Thus the keepers of gambling dens, the croupiers, touts, cappers, dealers of the old days were turned loose en masse on several Middle Western States and immediately began to seek new ways of their old journey.

Among these men was one of peculiar interest, a big dark man with a full mustache, a beetling brow and a cold, fierce stare that intimidated most men and amused others. He was an international gambler, this fellow. He had played the games from Chicago into Old Mexico and back. He knew the lay and the ropes in many parts of the world. But he liked the Middle West. Iowa and Missouri suited him; for, as he said, he knew his game there too well to fumble.

This man—let us call him Parks for convenience—was in Omaha when the final blow fell and it became clear that gambling as such had run its course. He watched his fellows trooping off to other states. He saw the hopelessness of some of them, and listened to the profanity of others. He himself said nothing. He simply gave no sign of moving. When he had finished watching the dismantling of his gambling house he walked over to his hotel, one of the best in town, marched aggressively into the bar and seated himself without ceremony across the booth table from another guest. This person looked up without a word and stroked his fat pink cheeks. His shrewd, yellowish eyes twinkled with amused inquisitiveness. He took a gulp of whisky and continued his silence.

The Gambler and the Fox.

"WELL?" demanded Parks after several minutes of this.

"Well, yourself," said his vis a vis.

"Fat and empty as usual?" asked Parks, insultingly.

"As usual," said the other. "Just fat headed enough to copper your game right along, though."

Parks laughed a little acidly and waved to the waiter.

"Booze," he said, "and see what Mr. Fox will have."

Parks leaned back against the leather upholstery and contemplated Fox.

"Well," he demanded, "what is the best faro dealer in the West going to do now?"

Fox yawned.

"Nothing right away. My stake's in first-class shape. No reason why I shouldn't rest awhile and watch for the turn."

"Going East, or West?"

"Not going. Like the climate here."

Parks leaned toward his friend with sudden animation.

"Now you're talking sense," he sibilated. "I thought you might have a hunch."

"Can't say I have."

"Well, I have."

Fox stroked his pink cheeks again and lifted his eyes at an angle which gave him a particularly vulpine look.

"Well, I'm with you, bank roll and all. What is it?" he said.

"You know I used to peddle green goods?" inquired Parks, and Fox nodded. "Well, it's something like that, now."

He leaned over the narrow table till his mouth was close to the other's ear and spoke as softly as his big voice would permit.

"Of course, you can't sell 'em green goods or gold bricks any more, without too much trouble and risk; but we can combine the old sucker game with betting. Make 'em think they're backing sure things and then work the double cross on 'em. See?"

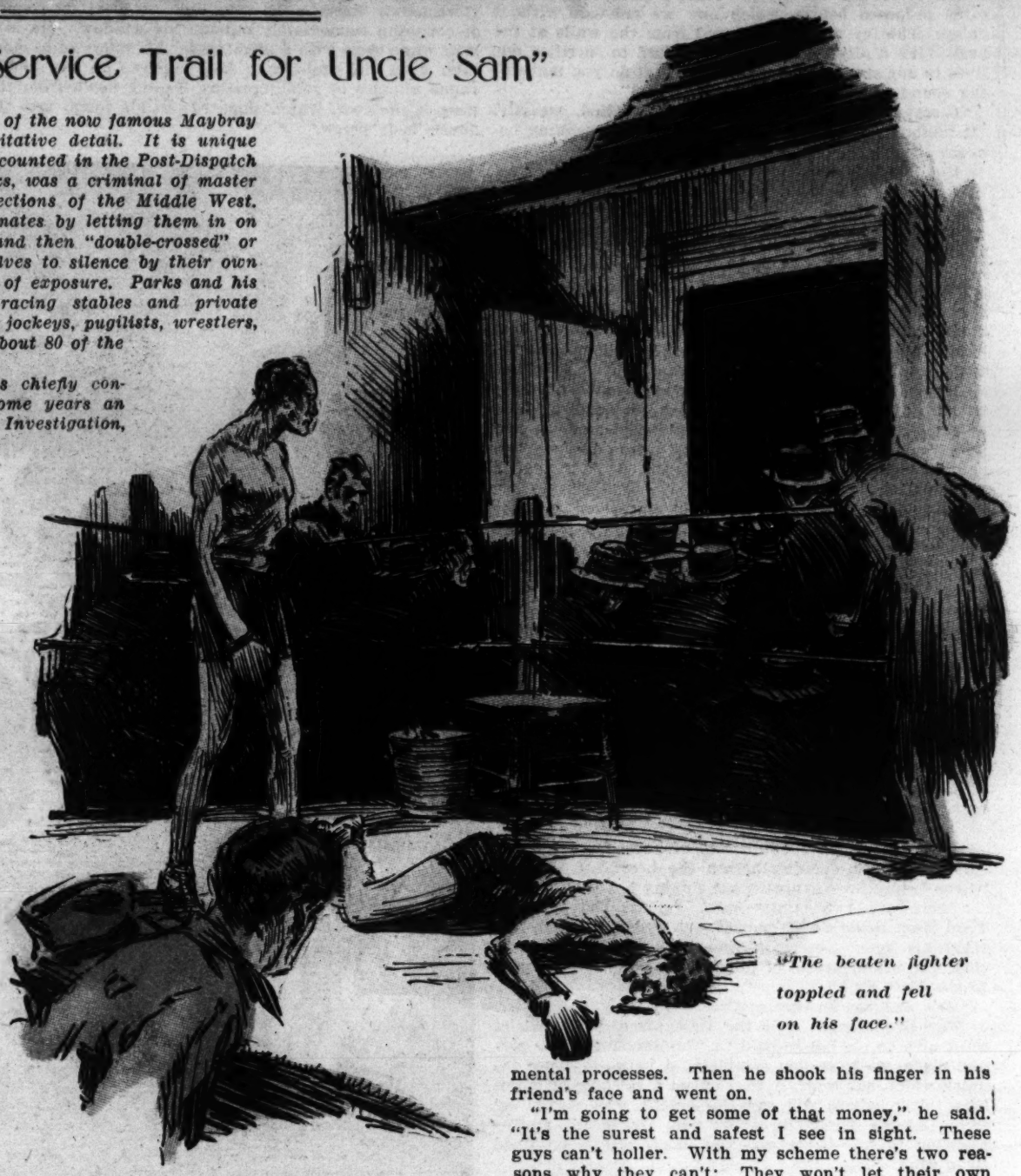
Fox didn't.

"Horse races, fights, wrestling."

"Aw, nix!" said Fox impatiently. "You can't pull the fixed race stuff any more. The rubes is wise to it long ago. They been bled too often."

"Is that so," said Parks with angry emphasis. "You're telling me, are you? Do I look like a simp to you?"

"Not exactly."



"The beaten fighter toppled and fell on his face."

"Well, then wait till I'm through talking. What's the matter with the double cross?"

"I don't get you."

"Well, suppose you tell the sucker the thing is fixed?"

Fox had an immediate gleam of intelligence.

"And switch the fix!" he exploded. He went off into gleeful laughter. "Parks, you're a wonder; a wonder!" Then he grew sober and reflective. "But where are the suckers that'll stand for that stuff?" he asked.

And Parks began to outline his plan.

The Game That Couldn't Lose.

FOX knew the small farming communities in Iowa and Missouri and Kansas and Nebraska, didn't he? Who were the bankers and rich men in these towns? Retired farmers. Sure. Fox knew how jealous these little places were of each other; how puritanical they were; how ignorant of the great world. Fox knew how these small town magnates who were deacons in their home churches slipped off to Omaha and Kansas City and St. Joseph several times a year and painted the towns red? Certainly! Didn't the pickpockets and the low saloons and the lower women of these towns grow fat from plucking these fools? And did they ever holler? Not on your life. Did Fox remember that old banker that got touched for seven thousand in Maggie's? He didn't even go to the police. Why? Because he couldn't risk having the story leak back home.

Parks paused to let the idea filter through Fox's mental processes. Then he shook his finger in his friend's face and went on.

"I'm going to get some of that money," he said. "It's the surest and safest I see in sight. These guys can't holler. With my scheme there's two reasons why they can't: They won't let their own towns get wise to their sporting; and then I make them party to the game. Suppose I go to Old Rube Grouchandle, get friendly with him, and get him to go in on a fixed race to win some other punk's money? Then suppose the thing goes wrong and Old Rube loses? Ain't he a party to the crime? What comeback has he got?"

"Great, great!" said Fox glowingly. "When do we go to work?"

"Right now. How much coin have you got? We have to match our piles."

Fox deliberated.

"About fifteen thou' cash," he said, finally.

"And what else?"

"You know I got a couple of houses."

"Well, can you put in $25,000 if I dig the same and we split fifty-fifty?"

"Soft."

"Right. Then you slip out to Chicago tonight. All expenses will be charged up and deducted before we split the pots. You know what we need. Kennedy will put you wise to some pugs that will play our game. I got a couple of them here, too. Kennedy will tell you about some horses and boys we'll need, too. Get 'em and bring 'em back with you. Say nothing to Kennedy and pay him nothing. I'll 'tend to that. He knows."

"I'm wise, and I'm off," said Fox briskly.

"And while you're up there, I'll slip out in the State a little way and see an old bird I know out there. He's ripe. I'll have him all roped by the time you get back."



Putting one over on Amos Pindell.

Framing Up the Farmers.

THUS John Parks and Bill Fox, gamblers and confidence men, laid the foundation for one of the great and picturesque swindles of recent times.

They started with a modest capital and without confederates save the prize fighters, wrestlers and jockeys they used in their first operations. In but little time, however, they drew to themselves other crooked capital and half a dozen minor conspirators. In a couple of years they were the heads of an organization that was staking fixed fights, races, wrestling matches and what not, in five or six states. Victim after victim was bled, and not a man "hollered." It would wreck his future for any of these small town magnates to admit connection with such things.

Parks and Fox and their smooth lieutenants were always on hand in Kansas City, Omaha, St. Louis and St. Joseph about the time the great shipments of cattle came in. They knew where to meet the prosperous ranchers, knew how to spend money on them, amuse them, cultivate them. In his pocket notebook, in a private code, Parks had names and facts jotted down, and he made use of them as fast as he could get around to them.

Year after year the thing went on. In the period from 1905 until 1910 approximately $10,000,000 was mulcted in this way from the rich men of small towns. Each was played according to his weakness. One was fond of horse racing. He was skillfully got to bet a considerable sum on a horse. The bet was never less than $10,000; often $50,000. Parks told his man that the race was fixed against the other side, usually represented by secret confederates. Then

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HOW A SIGHTLESS WOMAN BUILT A TELEPHONE SYSTEM

When experts 14 years ago told Mrs. T. A. Bruce of Salem, Mo., that she was going blind, she sought an occupation that would lighten the darkened years and found fortune through her investment in a switchboard—Belongs to clubs, writes papers, crochets and manages lucrative business in spite of her affliction

THERE are several things one might do upon being notified unexpectedly that he must lose his sight. He might fill the air with the lamentations of self-pity, or go into an obscure corner and grieve out his heart, or accept his doom with stolid indifference, or yield to the violence of despair. These things are merely the measures of his moral courage.

On the other hand, he might ask how long it would be before darkness overtook him and might employ the remaining hours of daylight in preparing for the inevitable. That also is a measure of moral courage. If the readjustment involves a revolution in his whole method of life, in which everything is staked upon the success of a more ambitious undertaking than he has ever before dared, and if he forces his way over all obstacles to his goal—that is moral courage, plus somewhat of genius. This brings us to the story of Mrs. T. A. Bruce of Salem, Mo.

Salem is a pretty, apparently prosperous town in Dent County. It lies at the end of a branch railroad which follows an erratic course among the hills, southward of the main line of the Frisco, with a junction point at the village of Cuba. It has a population of 2000, several banks, three newspapers, and the usual business houses of an agricultural district. The iron mines of its early days have long been abandoned. Its most imposing building is a brick and stone Baptist church.

It is served by a most efficient local telephone system, with 400 subscribers in the town and 43 country toll lines, all of which can use the Bell long-distance service. No factor has been more potent towards the town's prosperity than this telephone system, and it is the creation of Mrs. Bruce. She is not only its originator, but its owner and builder. And Mrs. Bruce has been sightless for 14 years.

She is the wife of Thomas A. Bruce, who has a small real estate and insurance business and was at one time Clerk of the Circuit Court in Dent County. She was born at Ironton, Mo., and was married to Bruce 38 years ago, when she was 17 years old. Although they were not wealthy, they were ambitious and when they moved to the Dent County capital in youth it was with the hope that they might win prosperity through industry and thrift.

Mrs. Bruce was a woman of better than average education. In addition she was an accomplished needlewoman. They had scarcely got settled in their new home when she suggested to her husband that she do a little sewing to help things along. Bruce told her rather brusquely that he thought he was capable of making a living for them, but, in the end, she had her way. Before long Salem women discovered it was not necessary to send to St. Louis to have their best gowns made, since their townswoman could make them as well and turn them out more promptly. Mrs. Bruce had all the work she could do.

Unfortunately for herself, perhaps, Mrs. Bruce possessed a scrupulously exacting conscience. If she promised a gown by a certain time, she felt a moral obligation to have it done by that time. If keeping her word meant that she keep at her work late at night, she kept at work. Whether that was the ultimate cause of her blindness or merely a contributing cause cannot be known. Her husband thinks it was the former. At any rate, her sight began to fail at an alarming rate.

They had just built a home out of their combined savings when the catastrophe happened. The house was not exactly as Mrs. Bruce wanted it, but it was the best they could afford, and she cherished the idea that when they became more prosperous she could have it remodeled to suit her. And then all her dream castles came tumbling about her ears. There were repeated trips to specialists in St. Louis.



The local telephone exchange at Salem, Mo.



Mrs. T. A. Bruce, blind telephone magnate, busy with her crochet needles.



"He pointed out obstacle after obstacle."

One day a noted occulist broke the distressing news to the unfortunate woman. The optical nerve was diseased, he said, and it was only a matter of time until she could see no more.

Mrs. Bruce did not fritter away any time consoling herself or looking for sympathy. Her philosophy was not the kind that wastes tears over spilled milk. She reconciled herself to the inevitable and cast about for the best means of meeting it.

She had gone to visit an aunt in Fredericktown, Mo., and one day was examining a telephone that had just been installed. There were no telephones in her own town or in the neighboring towns of Rolla and St. James. She made out the name of the manufacturer in St. Louis. An idea came to her. When next she visited the city she sought the manufacturer. She told him she was thinking of establishing an exchange in Salem and asked him about prices. She wanted to know how much it would cost, how many telephones it would be advisable to start with, on what terms she could get the initial equipment.

A short time after her return home, she amazed her husband by announcing to him quietly that she had decided to start the Salem Telephone Co. He threw up both hands.

"My heavens!" he exclaimed, "what next!"

The next day Mrs. Bruce started out with a memorandum book and a lead pencil. One of the first persons she called on was a lawyer, a distinguished member of the Missouri bar and later a Circuit Judge. The attorney's daughter was with him in the office at the time.

"I am going to start a telephone exchange," Mrs. Bruce said. "I understand I will need 60 telephones to make it go, but will start if I can get 25. Will you take one?"

The lawyer looked at her in amazement. As an old friend of the family he thought it his duty to dissuade Mrs. Bruce from her undertaking. He pointed out obstacle after obstacle, just as her husband had done. Mrs. Bruce listened politely but remained firm. At last the daughter interrupted.

"Father," she said, "Mrs. Bruce did not come here for advice but to ask you whether you would take a telephone."

Then the Judge also threw up his hands. He said he would. Mrs. Bruce's experience with him was repeated over and over again. But she got 60 orders. Perhaps the first person she wholly converted to her enterprise was E. B. Sankey, division superintendent of the Frisco branch, who insisted that his instrument should be No. 1. One of the earliest subscribers was a washerwoman.

Armed with her 60 names, Mrs. Bruce approached the manufacturer again. It is probable that by this time he, too, had fallen under the spell of this quiet, determined woman, whose sight was already failing so fast that it was apparent. He agreed to supply her the equipment and to take her note to be paid in installments.

It was not long until the exchange was working. Neither was it long until Mrs. Bruce's sight completely failed. She had set up the switchboard in the dining room of her home and had learned to operate it herself. And she triumphed over obstacles that would have discouraged many a person without the additional handicap of blindness.

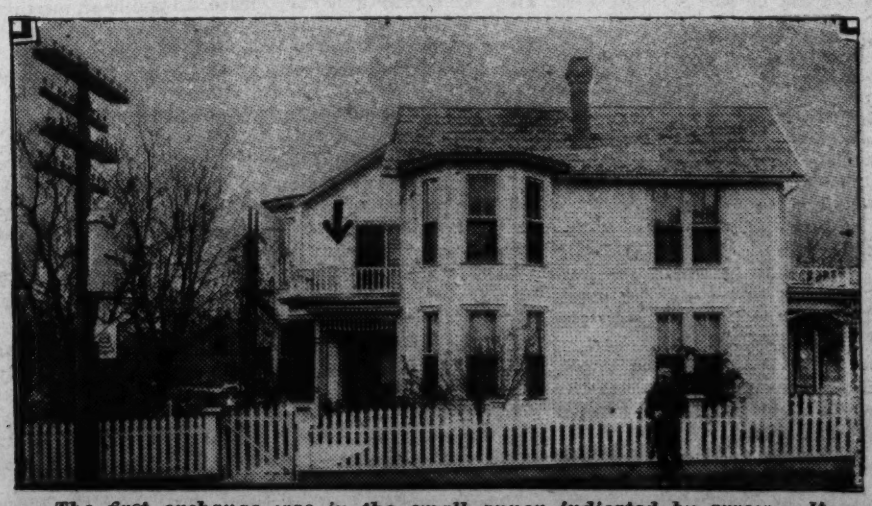
There had been mistakes, of course. The first switchboard was inadequate. There had been trouble in running lines and installing instruments. Once Mrs. Bruce heard numbers of "drops" falling as subscribers tried to get connections but could not hear a word through her receiver. A trivial accident caused the trouble but in her inexperience she imagined the whole system had gone to pieces.

All of that was 14 years ago. Today the system is working without a hitch; the plant alone has increased in value until it is worth around $20,000, although there has been no increase in charge to users. There are two switchboards and four operators. The exchange is housed in a building put up expressly for it and even it will soon have to be enlarged. The Bruce home has been remodeled as the wife wanted it and she and her husband own several pieces of property. Indeed they are considered among the most successful and prosperous persons of the entire county.

Mrs. Bruce has managed it herself. Her husband looks after the bookkeeping, but the wife has charge of everything else. It is essentially a business of infinite routine and Mrs. Bruce carries all the routine in her head. Her memory is astonishing in its grasp of details. She personally superintends the operators, linemen and "trouble shooters," and it is believed in the town that she remembers clearly the location of every pole, wire and instrument.

One would think that all this would keep any

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The first exchange was in the small annex indicated by arrow. It now has a building of its own.

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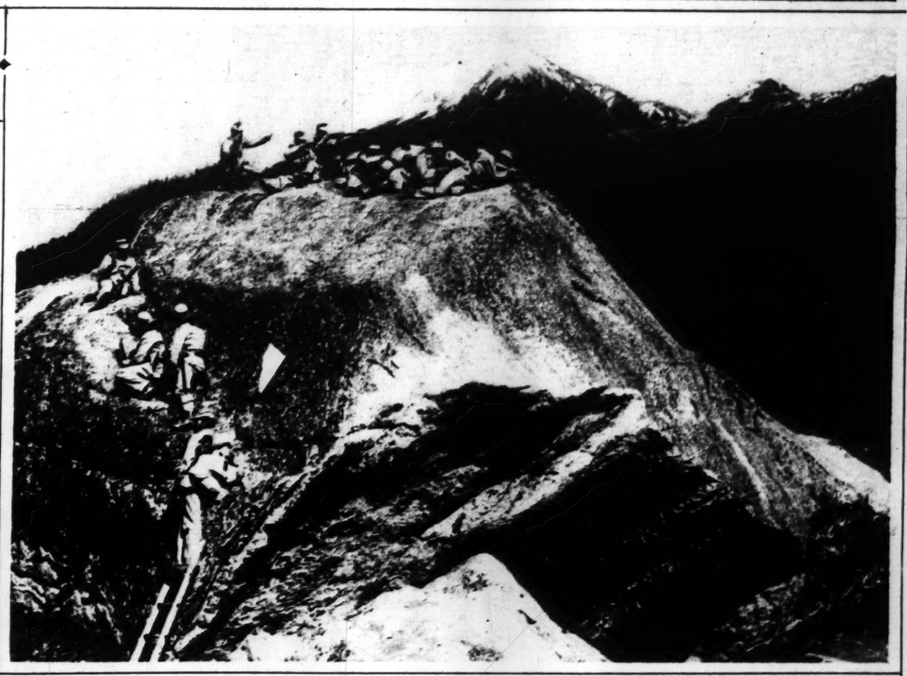
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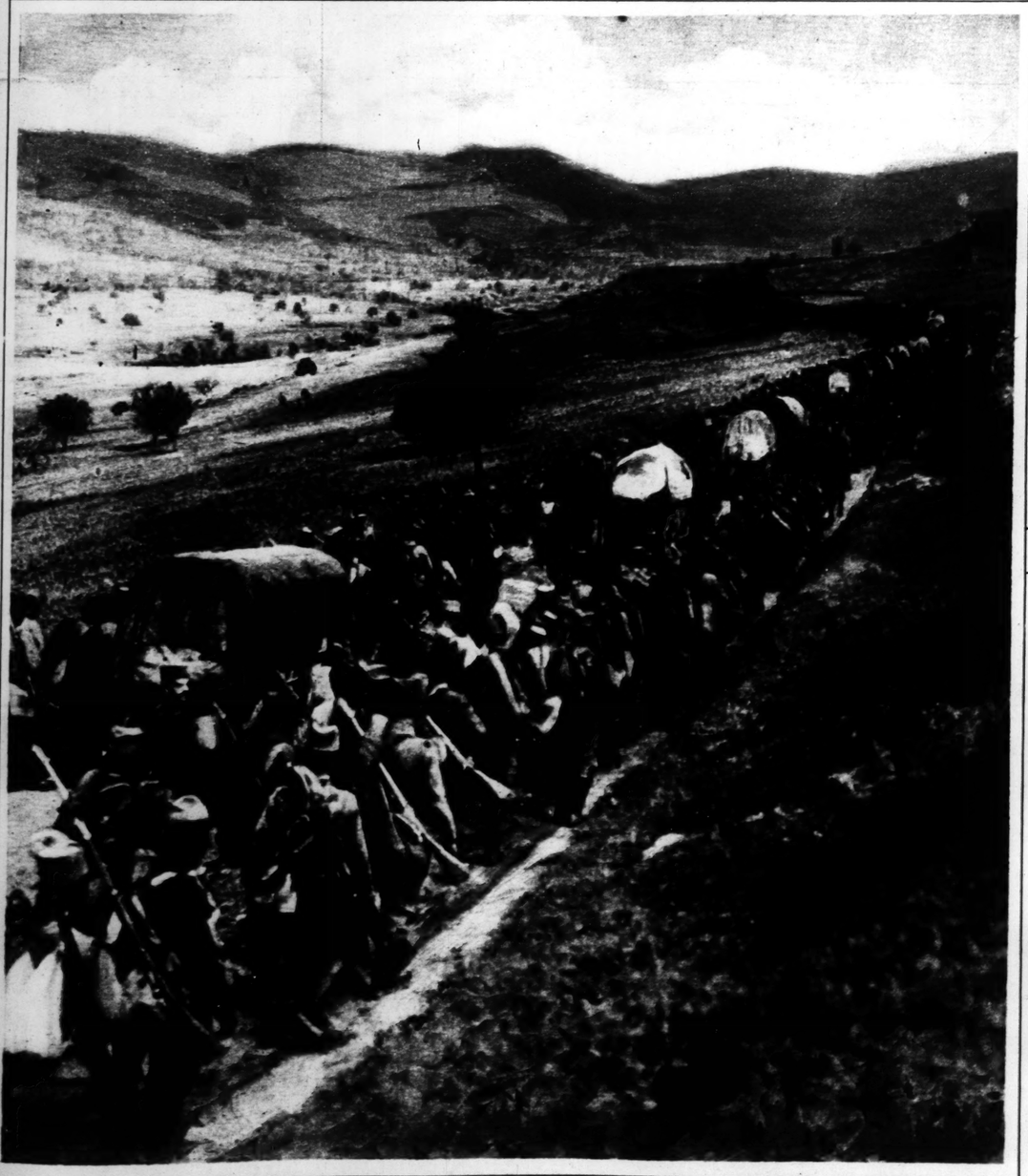
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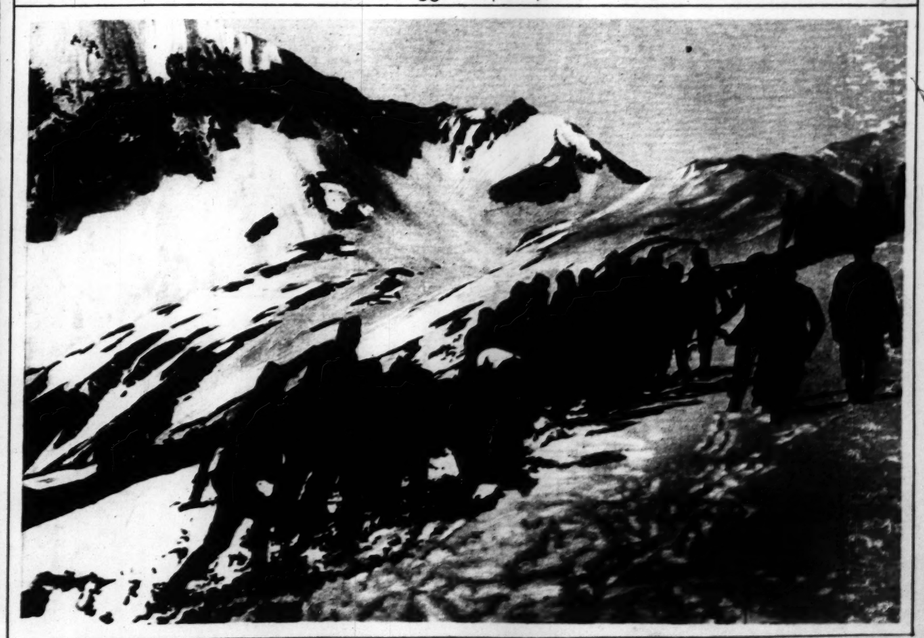
What war means to the women of a conquered country— the reverse side of the medal of military glory. The weather is chill, as the shawls indicate, but many of the women are barefooted. The picture was taken by a German photographer, and the caption he wrote for it is: "The wretched populace in France receives food from German militarism."



Tyrolean snipers awaiting a chance to pick off Italian soldiers from one of the rugged Alpine peaks. —©INTERNATIONAL FILM SERVICE.



The last remnants of the Servian army, which thrashed the Austrians until the Germans went to their aid, on its final retreat, leaving their fatherland conquered and devastated behind them. —©BY L'ILLUSTRATION.



Hauling an Austrian mountain gun to a commanding position on the summit of an Alpine ridge.

Kings of the "Double Cross"

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HOW A SIGHTLESS WOMAN BUILT A TELEPHONE SYSTEM

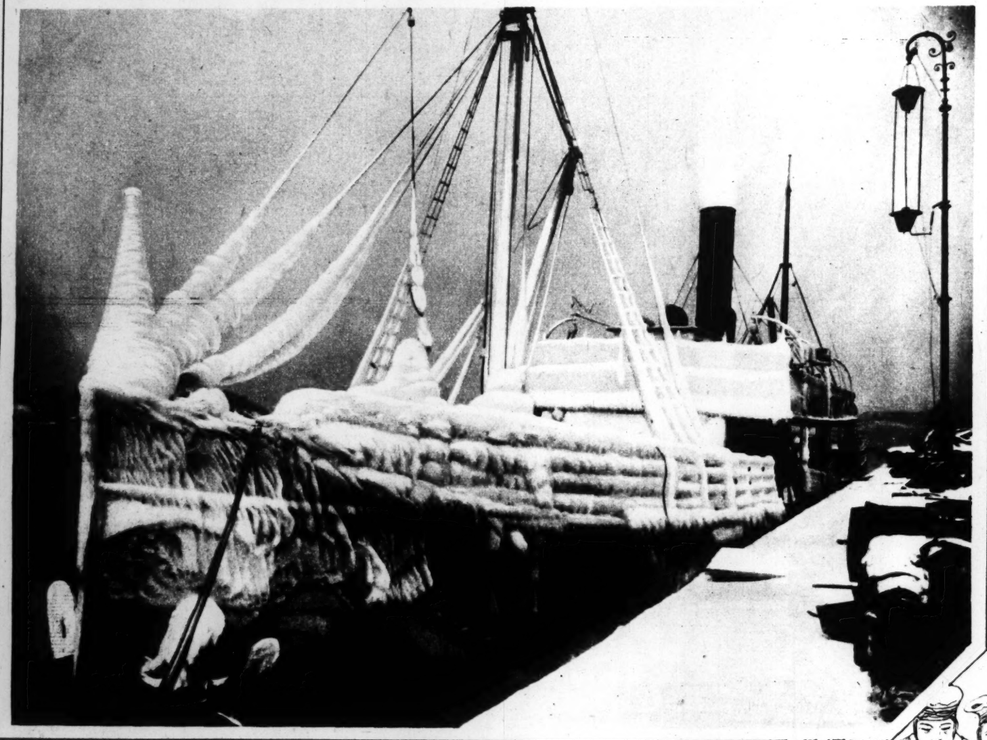


A KING WITHOUT A COUNTRY— The pathetic "last phase" in the reign of King Peter of Servia, as he went into exile with an ox cart for his royal coach and a handful of officers and cattle drivers as his retinue. He sought refuge in Italy.—UNDERWOOD & UNDERWOOD.



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Nursing wounded soldiers is not the romantic occupation some women fancy. This photograph shows the British nurse of reality. She has just pitched her tent at Salonika.



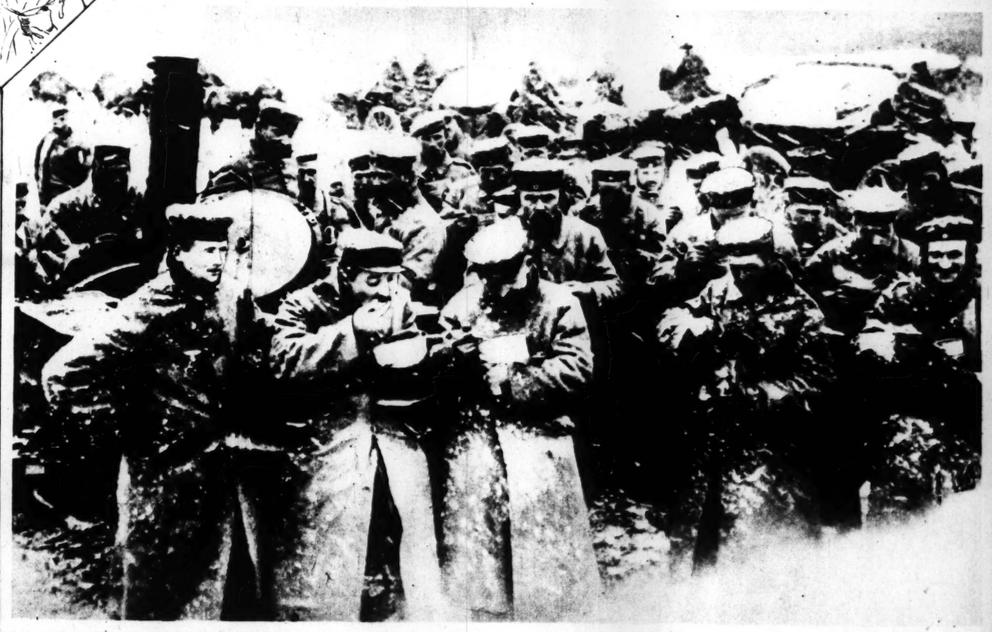
The winter is unusually severe in the North Sea. The steamer "Vestri" was encased in several inches of ice when she put in at Christiana during Christmas week.



Here the stars and stripes of "Old Glory" gleam by night as well as by day. An American flag, illuminated with electricity, decorates the Courthouse at Toledo, O.



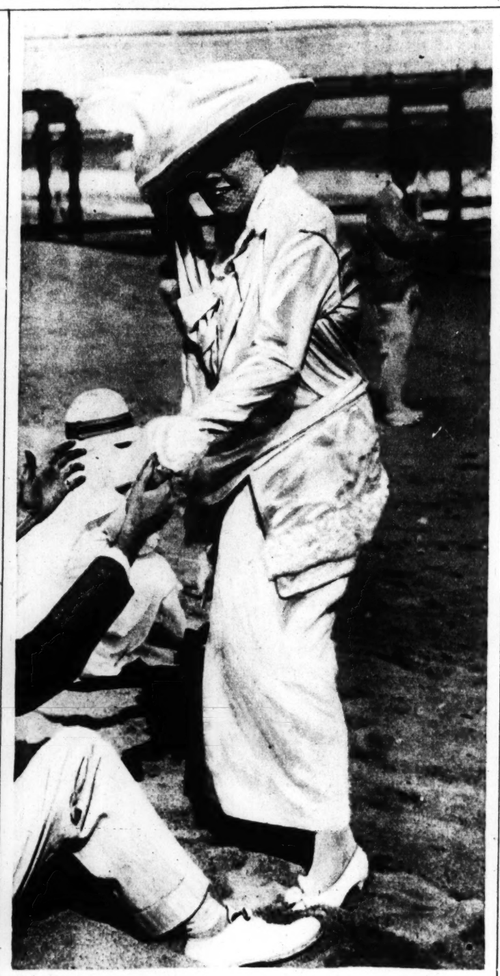
German sentries in their winter greatcoats of white fur, which make them inconspicuous against the snow.



Snow may be falling in a blizzard, but the German soldier still gets his piping hot stew from the Army kitchens.



Henry C. Frick, steel magnate, is one of the most enthusiastic golfers of the older set wintering at Palm Beach.



Mrs. S. A. Thompson of St. Louis, one of the Palm Beach colony.

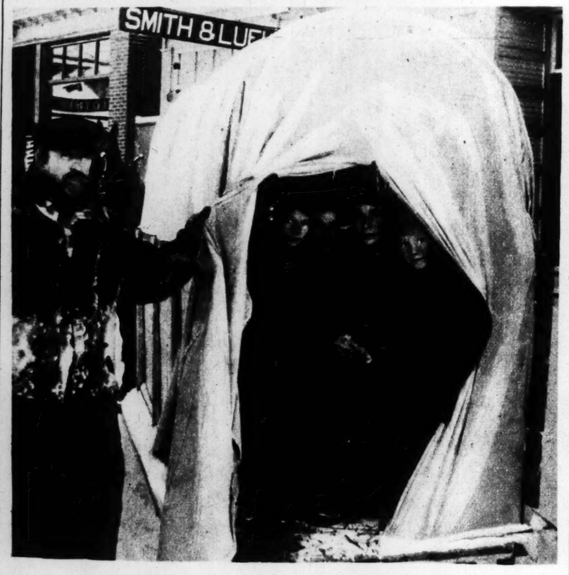


This blue and white figured taffeta bathing suit, worn by Miss Virginia Sullivan of Chicago, was voted the most fetching creation seen on the beach at the Florida resort.



Mrs. Stephen H. Brown of New York caused a stir with her novel two-piece suit of knitted white, with collar, cuffs and bottom of coat trimmed with wide chinchilla velour.

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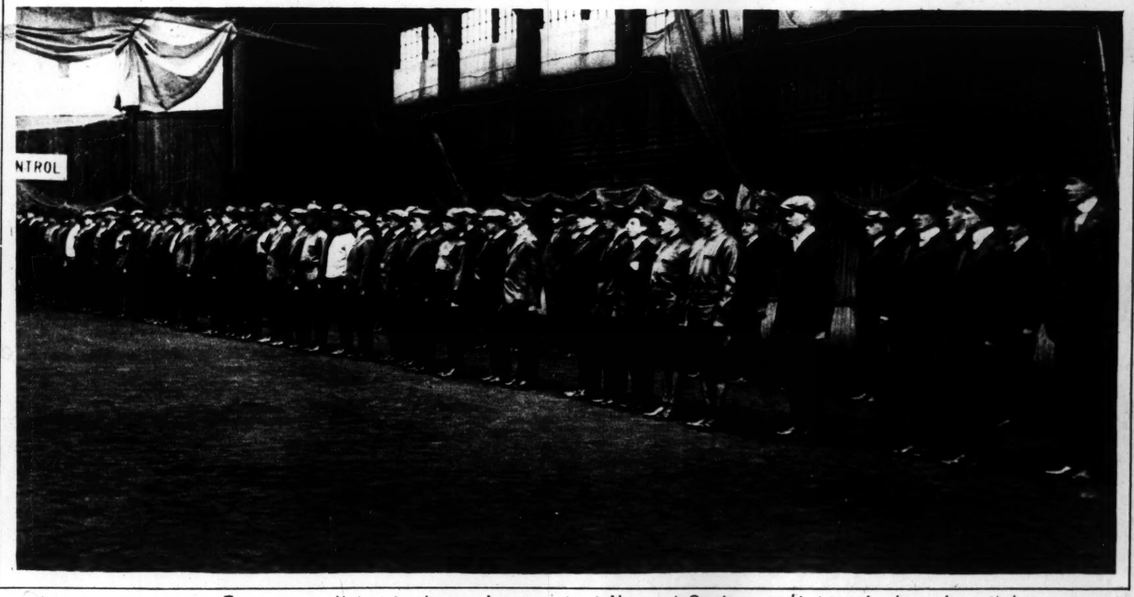


At Caribou, Me., where it is below zero all winter long, a covered sleigh heated with a stove is sent to the homes of children to take them to school and bring them home.

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Joseph H. Choate, former Ambassador to England, as he appeared on his eighty-fourth birthday, Jan. 24 last.



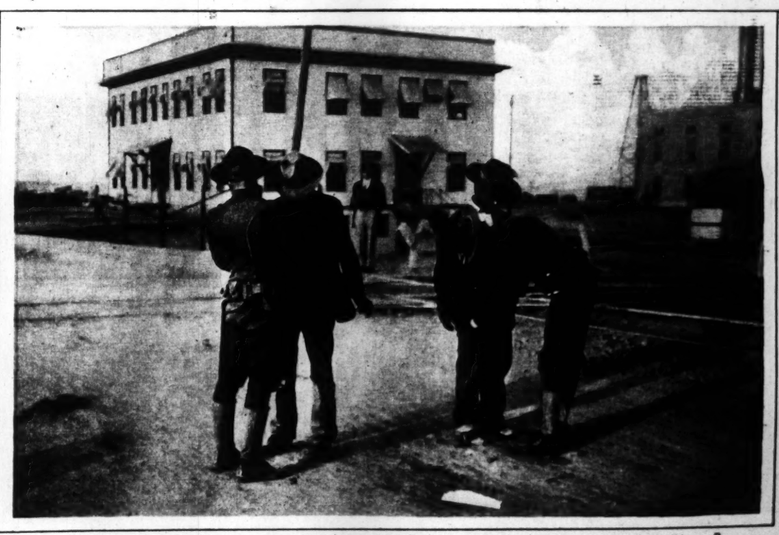
Students enlisted in the newly organized Harvard Regiment, lined up in the university's big baseball cage. Only a few have as yet obtained uniforms.

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New York society women have formed a rope-skipping class for reducing weight. They meet on the roof of the Hotel Majestic.

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United States soldiers searching Mexicans crossing the International Bridge from Juarez to El Paso.

Idylls of the Ancients Shown in Classic Dances



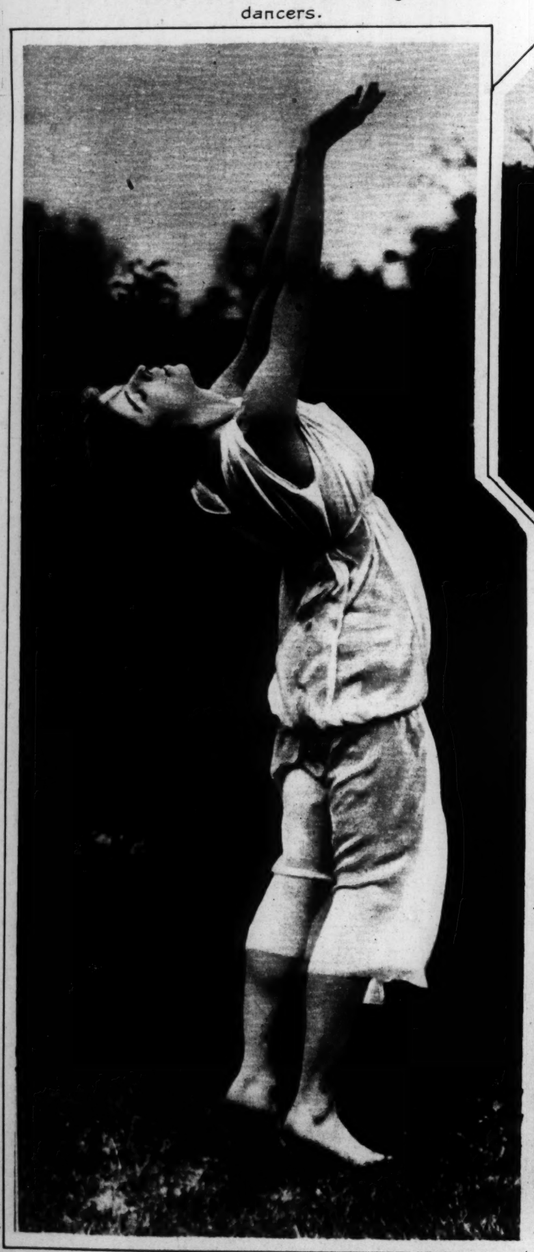
The Archery Maid, as posed by one of the Marion Morgan dancers.



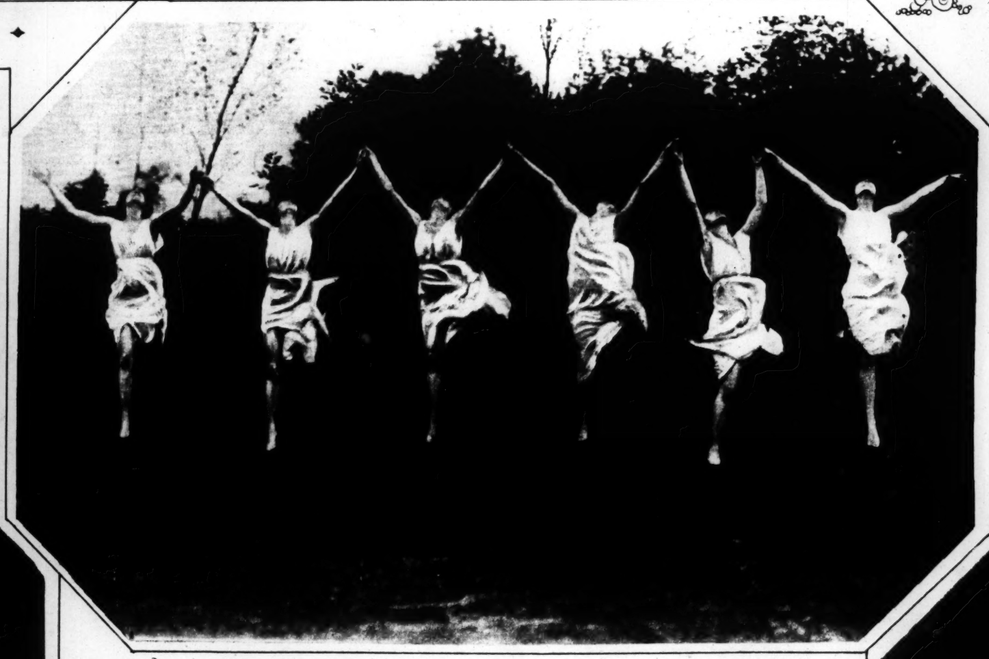
The Pleiades:- Only six of the seven stars in the constellation yet a pretty representation of Vedder's famous painting.



Diana: From "Diana and Endymion."



Proserpine's wooing of mother Nature.



"Fair faces and a rush of garments white." From Endymion.

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A Classic Frieze: "The poetry of motion caught and chained."



"Motion." Another sculpture of the camera.

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Hawkshaw the Detective

The Thrilling Adventure of the Princess Mazuma and Her $50,000 Necklace.





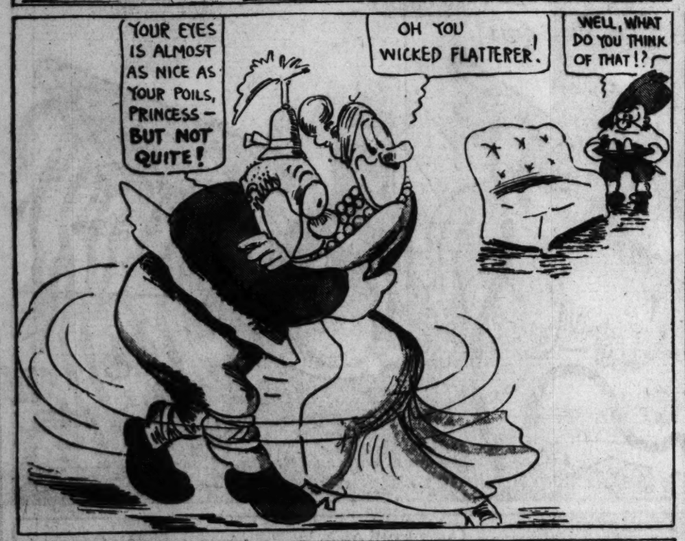












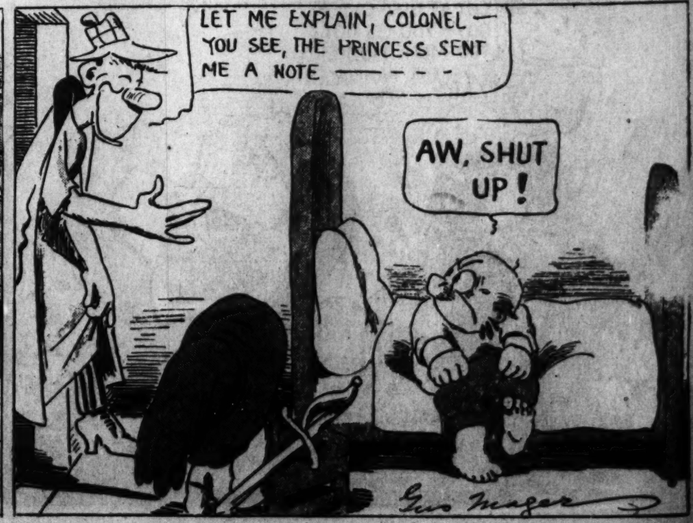






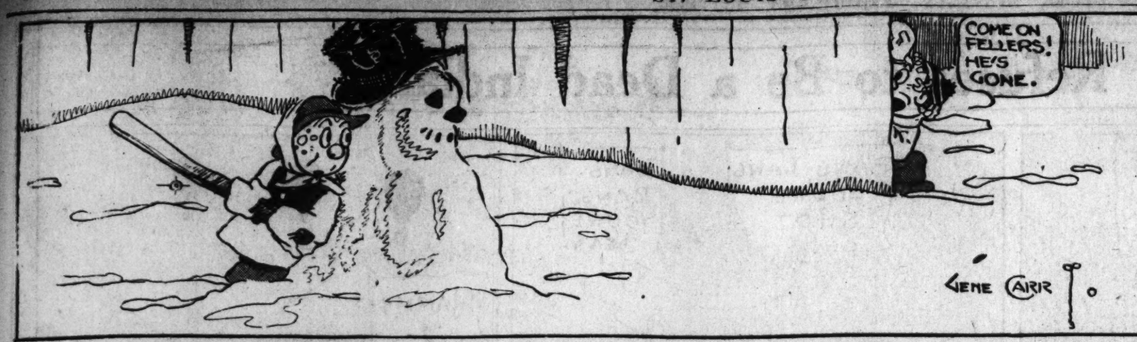


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Lady Bountiful

Bub Tried His Best to Deliver the Message, but the Gang Didn't Get It.













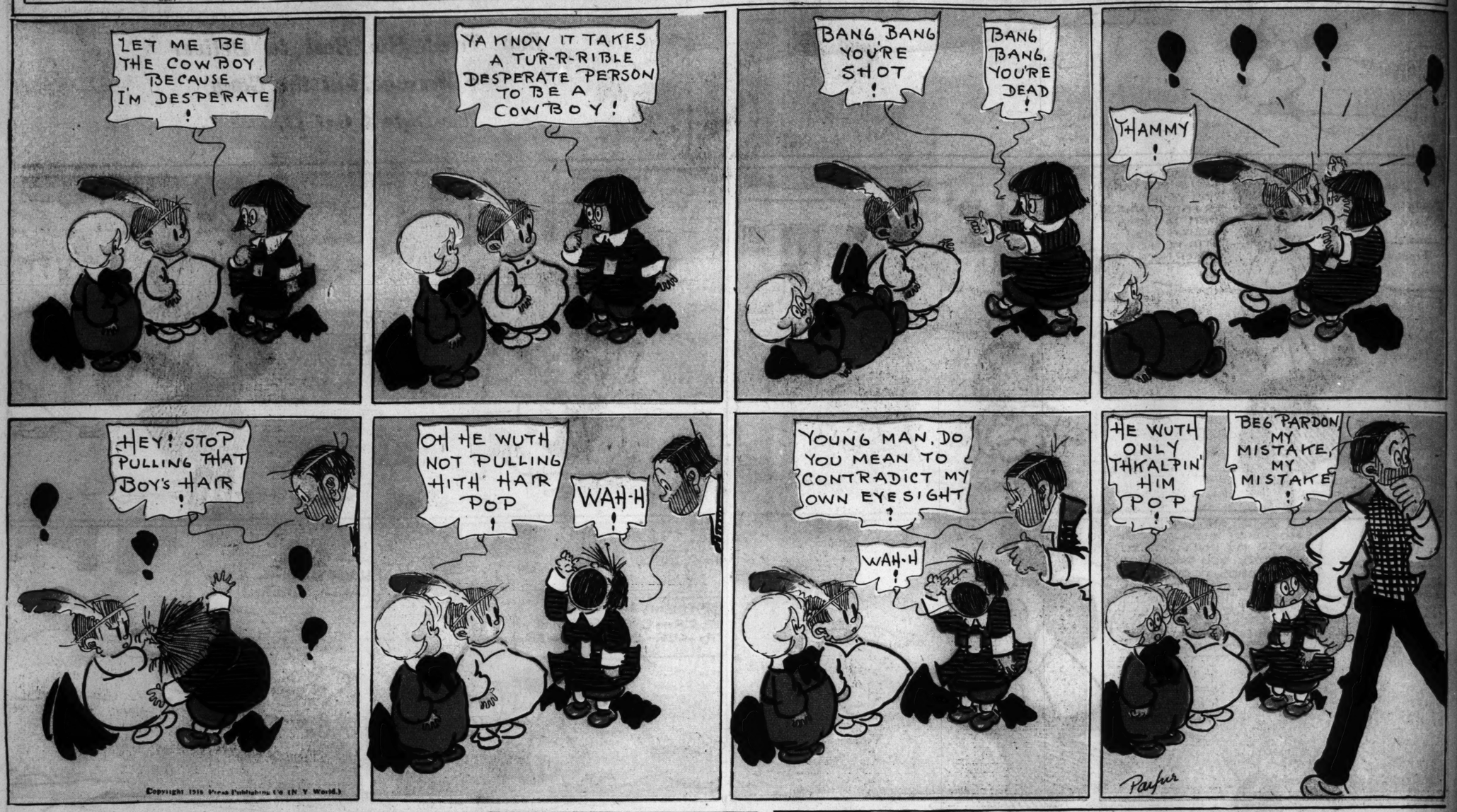
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Nippy's Pop—Sammy Refuses to Be a Dead Indian



The Newlyweds—No One Ever Thought of Blaming Snookums





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